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LA CROSSE  
FINANCES  
GLOWINGAlderman Bacheller  
Points With Pride

## RESERVE FUND IS AMPLE

To Withstand Any Ordinary  
Loss and Can be Used  
for Any Purpose

"La Crosse is in excellent financial condition," said Alderman N. C. Bacheller today. The alderman and chairman of the finance committee has arrived home to participate in the fall election and look after financial matters in the council. This morning he was busy securing estimates needed by the various departments of the city government for going through the coming year.

"There is \$10,000 in the reserve fund of the city treasury after more than \$24,000 has been drawn out to be repaid later," continued Alderman Bacheller. "There isn't every city in Wisconsin that can show a reserve of \$35,000, which La Crosse could a few weeks ago and will do so again. When the funds loaned toward the construction of the high school are returned the reserve will be as large as ever."

"Economy in former years has increased this fund. It has taken about twelve or fifteen years to accumulate the fund, the 'leavings' from the various other funds. Suppose \$200 was left in any one fund after the year was completed. It is turned into the reserve."

"With \$25,000 in the insurance fund and \$35,000 in the general fund, the city is capable of withstanding a severe loss, by accident or fire. Suppose the Mississippi wagon bridge should be damaged, we might use the money for repairs. If the city hall should burn down, we will have \$60,000 at hand to use in rebuilding. The money in the reserve fund can be used for any purpose the aldermen see fit."

"The tax rate of 18 mills will not be raised for the coming levy, although the council will have to go carefully on some things. The police will receive their increases in salary as voted by the council while I believe that the firemen's request for an advance of \$10 each month will be granted. The firemen's salaries are entirely too low, now."

"Other increases in appropriations, the library and other city institutions will cause a drain on the treasury with a rate of 18 mills, but I think we can make it. The new high school has drawn heavily upon the city treasury, but we are weathering the storm in good shape."

"The tax rate may be decreased slightly if possible."

## WEATHER &amp; WATER

- Fair and colder tonight; Thursday fair with moderate temperature.
- Coldest, 44; warmest, 56; wind, 4 miles.
- The river will remain about stationary.
- Stage of water, 4.3 feet; rain, fall, 74 inch.

WANTED—Alteration girl at Marine Clothing company, 324 Main street.

LEGISLATION IS  
WEAKENING INS.Agents Say Companies are  
Weakened by Distribu-  
tion of Surplus

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 24.—Addressing the convention of underwriters this morning E. E. Rhoades, of New Jersey, attacked the policy of states in recent insurance legislation. He said the opolcl was reversed. Where it formerly enforced the husbanding of resources to make the companies stronger, they now are forced to distribute their surplus, thus weakening the companies.

He said this tends to tempt companies to distribute more than they should. He attacked the limited expense, uniform policy and other features of the new legislation. The agents are sightseeing this afternoon.

**No Insurance Funds Exempt**  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 24.—The supreme court today decided mortuary and all other funds of fraternal insurance companies were assessable. The court declared the legislature could exempt no property not specifically exempted by the plain language of the constitution.

SECOND REHEARSAL  
OF CHORAL CLUB

The La Crosse Choral club held its second rehearsal of the season at the high school building last night. Already the nearly one hundred and fifty voices are developing into a remarkably well organized chorus. Prof. Wiley, in commenting upon the quality of the voices at his disposal and also upon the general enthusiasm of the club, said after the rehearsal last night that the presentation of the concert this season would undoubtedly far excel anything that has yet been attempted in La Crosse. This enthusiasm of Prof. Wiley is shared by every member of the club. All who are informed regarding the work are extravagant in their praise of what is being accomplished.

One of the most gratifying indications of a growing interest in the chorus was the large increase in the membership at the meeting last night. So numerous were the applications for membership that it is quite possible the board of directors will deem it advisable to start a waiting list. For the present, however, members will be voted in at each meeting.

Immediately preceding the rehearsal last night, the board of directors of the club held an enthusiastic meeting. E. G. Boynton, president of the board, expressed a personal appreciation of the results being accomplished. He also presented several matters pertaining to the work for the coming year. The board, after a spirited discussion, adjourned to meet next Tuesday evening when plans for an aggressive campaign in the interests of the club will be adopted.

PROSECUTION IN  
ST. LOUIS FRAUD

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 24.—A treasury official expects arrests in connection with the St. Louis sub-treasury shortage at any moment.

It is said accountants have already found some one has subtracted over \$60,000. The accounting is still in progress.

CAUGHT TRYING TO OPEN  
SAFE DOOR WITH SLEDGES

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
SHIPSHAWANA, Ind., Oct. 24.—Six robbers unsuccessfully attempted to rob Davis Brothers' bank this morning. They bound and gagged the watchman and were using sledges on the vault when the officers arrived.

HUNDREDS SNOW-  
BOUND IN WESTTrains Blockaded and Re-  
lief is Hurried by the  
Railroads

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
DENVER, Colo., Oct. 24.—The Rock Island has sent a relief train bearing food to the eleven hundred passengers snowbound on three trains at Limon, Colby and Genoa. There is no danger.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 24.—Union Pacific trains are tied up here and at North Platte, Neb., on account of the snow.

The road expects to lift the blockade today. There has been a heavy snow throughout the west and trains are having considerable trouble.

This is one of the earliest serious blockades in the history of railroad-ing.

TRACTION LINE  
MUST SERVE UP

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 24.—The city of Chicago was sustained by the supreme court this morning in an injunction suit brought by the street railways protesting against the ordinance requiring sufficient cars, well heated and ventilated.

SCOLDING SUFF-  
RAGISTS JAILED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
LONDON, Oct. 24.—Ten women suffragists were arraigned in court today and bound over to keep the peace for six months.

The women were displeased. They hoped to pose in jail as martyrs.

They were literally thrown from the court into the crowds outside.

For refusing bond, the women agitators were given two months in jail. Crowds of women protested, Miss Parkhurst crying so vociferously against the sentence that the court sentenced her to two weeks for raising a disturbance.

## TEST WAR BALLOONS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 24.—The government has decided to experiment with war balloons at Fort Omaha, and will build a plant for the generation of hydrogen.

## POPE BETTER TODAY

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
ROME, Oct. 24.—Dr. Laponni visited the pope this morning and found his health improved and his temperature diminished. He will permit the pontiff to receive the English pilgrimage tomorrow.

## SAVINGS BANK IS CLOSED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 24.—The comptroller today closed the Peoples' Savings bank of this city, an examination showing insolvency. The resources and liabilities at the last report were \$220,000.

## BOND WEDS TODAY

Carl Bond, captain of the La Crosse baseball team, and Miss Edna Kim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kim, 609 South Fifth street, were married at 5 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor of the Universalist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bond will reside in La Crosse.

## THOSE CAMPAIGN THREATS



"If you can't boost, don't tell the truth" about the republican candidate for sheriff or—look out for yourself.

BLACKHAND HAUL  
SOLVES MYSTERYEvidence of Many Crimes  
Found on Italians  
Caught Today

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The police this morning arrested nine armed Italians and think they have caught the leaders of a murderous "blackhand" gang.

The gang was taken in the shadow of McClellan's home.

Francisco Santo possessed letters which the police say fix the responsibility for many mysterious crimes.

HIGHER COURT IN-  
CREASED SENTENCE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 24.—The mails bring from the Philippines a new procedure in American courts.

Three robbers were sentenced to seven years by the lower court. The supreme court reviewed the case and increased the sentence to nine years.

BALDWIN TO HEAR  
DOG SUIT

The suit of Nic Groff against Henry Einert for \$25 for the alleged killing of a pet bulldog after a fight Oct. 16 at Fourth and Mississippi streets, was transferred from the court of Justice Daniels to Justice Baldwin this morning. An affidavit of prejudice was presented against Justice Daniels by Mr. Einert. The case will be tried next Wednesday.

## CONGRESSMAN HOAR ILL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 24.—Congressman Rockwell Hoar's illness is critical today. He has neuralgia of the head.

## TO ARREST "LIGHT" OFFICERS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
DURANGO, Colo., Oct. 24.—Officials are preparing warrants for officers of the Brotherhood of Light, following an investigation by State Humane Officer Kerr who found only seven living, of twenty-seven children sent to the colony.

STEAMER AGROUND  
FREEING ANOTHERDavid Tipton Pulls Lion  
From Bar, is Freed From  
Dam by Lion

In an endeavor to release the steamer Lion from the sandbar onto which it had been blown last night, the government steamboat David Tipton, at 8 o'clock this morning became fast on the dam above the sand flats on which the Lion had been beached. The Lion in turn freed the Tipton from the dam. The boats proceeded up river this morning, neither of them damaged.

The Lion became fast upon the bar yesterday afternoon shortly after 5 o'clock. The stiff wind was responsible for Captain Wilcox taking the packet across the river for the night. This morning the Lion was unable to extricate itself from the bar. The Tipton went to the rescue and hauled the Lion off. When the turn of the Tipton came to steam up river, it was unable to move. The boat was fast on the dam above the bar.

Captain Wilcox and the Lion immediately went to the rescue, much after the manner the Tipton had done for them. The Tipton was drawn off shortly and proceeded to the government work above River Junction.

The sight of the Lion anchored across the river during the night aroused the fears of many who thought the boat had met with accident or disaster.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

General Secretary J. W. Stafford left last night for Milwaukee to attend the annual conference of the employed officers of the Young Men's Christian associations of Wisconsin. Mr. Stafford will read a paper on the subject, "Adequate Educational Work." The excellent work done in the local association night school is well known over the state, and Mr. Stafford's mission will be to outline a plan of campaign in organizing such a work in other cities.

A big men's meeting is being planned for Sunday afternoon. H. Leslie Broadbridge of New York, teacher, author and lecturer, who is in the city this week to lecture on the "Art of Salesmanship," will be the speaker. An interesting musical prelude will be given, including a mixed quartet, instrumental solos and a trained chorus of male voices. The meeting will be held in the association auditorium, and will be for men only.

The business men's gymnasium class has commenced operations. Interest in the class is keen and the popularity of the class for the coming months is assured.

PRICE OF BOAT  
SAVED DEARMANIt's Value Put Back to \$20,  
Fighting Ben Pleads  
Guilty

Ben Dearman escaped serving a term at Waupun because of the trial of his brother on a charge of theft which Ben committed. When Millard Dearman was tried for the theft of a boat, the value of the stolen property was made \$20, thus making the alleged offense petty larceny. Ben was confronted with a charge of grand larceny this morning, the value of the boat being placed at \$30.

When District Attorney Bosshard amended the complaint, making the offense petty larceny by decreasing the value of the boat to \$20, Ben entered a plea of guilty. "Three months," said Judge Brindley.

Dearman is an auspicious person in a street fight. His many battles for which he has appeared in police and county court several times has earned for him the title of "Fighting Ben."

REMP TO STUDY  
JAPAN SOCIETY

Dick Remp is off for Japan to study social conditions on the far eastern island. Friends in La Crosse and former football players at Madison have received news of the sailing of Remp for Japan.

Remp plans studying social conditions, and later accepting a professorship of sociology in a small college.

At the University of Wisconsin Remp was known as a fighting center rush, playing the position for four years. At the La Crosse high school he was center for a like time. Last June he received a diploma after completing the course in the college of commerce. With offers to catch several college football teams in the middle west, including Oberlin college, Remp has decided to cut loose and begin studying to accept a professorship.

"I'm done with football forever," is the parting advice of Remp, sent to La Crosse friends and others at the university.

Remp's father is a general merchant at Dresbach, Minn.

BEGIN ELECTRIC-  
AL INSPECTION

Inspection of the public and quasi-public buildings of La Crosse was started today by the fire and special committee of the common council under the direction of an expert electrical inspector of Chicago, secured by Alderman Walter B. Rose, chairman of the joint committee. All of the theaters, schools and other public buildings will be inspected and a report made to the council at the next meeting.

After the fire committee ordered the rewiring of the city hall stopped until an investigation was made, a resolution was introduced in the council authorizing the mayor to appoint a committee to investigate. Alderman Rose was made chairman. The committee decided on a full and minute inspection of all public buildings.

The chairman was authorized to secure a competent inspector which has been done. The work was started today, the city hall coming under the eye of the committee first. The La Crosse theater is being inspected this afternoon.

## EASTERN STAR ELECTS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
SPRINGFIELD, O., Oct. 24.—The grand lodge of the Eastern Star this morning elected Mrs. Jennie Bell, Chicago, worthy grand matron and Mrs. Kate L. Chester, Chicago, secretary.

BRAND NEW  
MONOPOLY  
REGULATIONRestrain Bondhold-  
ers From Voting

## STOCK IN OTHER CONCERN

Telegraph Company Cannot  
Vote Switchboard Stock  
to Public Detriment

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 24.—The supreme court granted an injunction today restraining the American Telephone & Telegraph company voting the stock acquired in the Kellogg Switchboard company, and sustaining the contention that such action would permit them to control the switchboard business to the detriment of the public policy.

COAL TRUST MIL-  
LIONS INDICTED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 24.—Fifty-seven indictments were returned today against members of the Omaha coal exchange, charging violation of the antitrust law.

WIFE'S BRUISED  
ARM CONVICTED

Edward Woodard, 511 Mill street, enjoyed a little "spree" yesterday carrying a major portion of it home to his wife. A short time after arrival at the Woodard domicile, he assaulted his wife and then turned her from the house.

Late yesterday afternoon Woodard was arraigned before Judge Brindley, charged with assault and battery. He entered a strenuous plea of not guilty and demanded a trial. However, he was satisfied when his wife exhibited a black and blue arm. Still intoxicated, he admitted the assault.

Judge Brindley assessed a fine of \$10 and costs or fifteen days in the county jail. Woodard's aunt has promised to pay the fine, if the sheriff will keep him in jail until sober and notify her.

PALMER AND RACKLE-  
MAN IN A RAW

John V. Palmer, father of Harry Palmer, candidate for sheriff on the republican ticket, and John Racklemann, deputy sheriff under the administration of Henry Leuth, engaged in a tiff in the saloon of John Neukomm, 110 South Fourth street, yesterday over the contest for sheriff. The combatants were separated by Mr. Neukomm before any damage was done to either.

Mr. Neukomm was slightly injured while separating the two, but suffered no severe injury. All of the trio were numb about the affair. Mr. Neukomm characterized it as idle talk, but admitted the dispute started over the sheriff question.

Mr. Palmer had been drinking, it is said.





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Report of the financial condition of the  
**BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK**  
located at La Crosse, state of Wis-  
consin, at the close of business on the  
4th day of September, 1906:

**RESOURCES.**  
Loans and discounts.....\$2,511,102.65  
Overdrafts.....1,291.97  
U. S. bonds.....400,000.00  
Other bonds.....102,721.46  
Banking house and fixtures.....75,000.00  
5 pct. redemption fund.....20,000.00  
Cash and due from banks.....\$85,091.01

Total.....\$3,695,207.09

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital stock.....\$400,000.00  
Surplus.....100,000.00  
Undivided profits.....10,489.52  
National bank notes out-  
standing.....390,000.00  
Deposits.....2,794,717.57

Total.....\$3,695,207.09

Report of the condition of  
**THE STATE BANK**

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 4, 1906.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts.....\$645,879.94  
Overdrafts.....880.65  
Bonds.....45,225.25  
Premium on bonds.....123.52  
Stocks and other securities.....28,536.00  
Banking house, furniture  
and fixtures.....10,000.00  
Due from banks and in  
vault.....\$309,351.74

Total.....\$1,039,997.10

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in.....\$50,000.00  
Surplus fund.....50,000.00  
Undivided profits.....9,202.38  
Deposits.....930,794.72

Total.....\$1,039,997.10

**THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE**

Sept. 4th, 1906.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts.....\$2,672,571.45  
Overdrafts.....2,872.35  
U. S. bonds to secure cir-  
culation.....250,000.00  
Other bonds.....201,800.00  
Banking house.....50,000.00  
Other real estate.....100.00

**CASH RESOURCES.**

U.S. deposits.....\$50,000.00

With banks.....640,447.56

With Treas. U.S. 12,500.00

In vaults.....184,768.88

Total.....\$4,065,060.24

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital.....\$250,000.00

Surplus.....200,000.00

Undivided profits.....36,800.04

Circulation.....248,400.00

Deposits.....3,329,860.20

Total.....\$4,065,060.24

**UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.**

**Exchange State Bank**

NORTH LA CROSSE.

Capital.....\$25,000.00

Surplus.....3,000.00

A general banking business  
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Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry,

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## NEWS OF TODAY IN BRIEF

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In the Blue Room of the White House today President Roosevelt was initiated as a member of the Associate Society of Farnsworth Post, G. A. R., of Mount Vernon, N. Y., an organization of business men who took no part in the war, but sympathized with the cause of the union. Gen. O'Hare Porter presided at the installation ceremony, which was attended by many members of the Mount Vernon society.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—About two hundred delegates from all over the country are in Milwaukee for the annual meeting of the American Civic association, which opens with a reception at the Hotel Pfister tonight. The subject of municipal improvement, generally, is the feature of the present meeting, which is to last until Saturday. Plans will be made for renewed activity in the campaign the organization is making for the preservation of Niagara falls.

DALLAS, Tex.—The annual meeting of the District and County Attorneys' association of Texas began in Dallas today and will continue over tomorrow. The weak points in the code of criminal procedure and the suggestion of legislative remedies form the chief topics of discussion.

MADRID.—Queen Victoria, formerly Princess Eugenie of Battenberg, today celebrated her first birthday as queen of Spain. The queen was born Oct. 24, 1887. The anniversary was generally observed as a holiday in the capital and throughout the kingdom.

FORT COLLINS, Colo.—The Colorado State Commercial association began its fifth annual convention here today with a good attendance of delegates representing commercial bodies throughout the state. The association will be in session three days and will devote its time to discussing plans for advertising the resources of the state with a view to immigration and investment.

TIFFIN, O.—A handsome monument erected to the memory of Gen. William H. Gibson, warrior and orator, who was the last surviving member of the Pittsburg convention that gave birth to the republican party, was unveiled here today in the presence of a large and distinguished gathering. The monument was erected by the state of Ohio and the Grand Army of the Republic.

TOPEKA, Kas.—Masons of high degree from all over the state are in Topeka for the semiannual reunion of the Scottish Rite Masonic bodies of Kansas, which began today. James D. Richardson, sovereign grand commander of the supreme council, and Frederick Webber of Washington, secretary-general, are in attendance.

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Illinois state conference of charities and correction began its eleventh annual meeting at the Sherman house today and before the sessions are concluded it is expected that a well planned campaign for the advancement of charity work in Chicago and Illinois will have been started. Among those on the program for addresses during the three days of the convention are Ernest P. Bicknell, superintendent of the Chicago bureau of charities; Amos W. Butler of Indiana, president of the national conference of charities, and Dr. Frank Billings, president of the state board of public charities.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich.—The advance guard of delegates is putting in an appearance for the annual meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' association, which is to begin its sessions here tomorrow. All indications point to an unusually large and representative attendance.

**Danger From the Plague.**

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: 'It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures La Grippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds, 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart's drug store. Trial bottle free.

Dr. Felix Kessel, Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

## THINK OF IT! This Pretty Matron Had Headache and Backache—Her Condition Was Serious. RELIEF IN PER-UNA.



MRS. M. BRICKNER.

99 Eleventh street,  
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**Peruna Drug Mfg. Co.,**  
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—Mrs. M. Brickner.

The reason for so many failures to cure cases similar to the above is the fact that diseases peculiar to the pelvic organs are not commonly recognized as being caused by catarrh.

Catarrh of one organ is exactly the same as catarrh of any other organ. What will relieve catarrh of the head will also relieve catarrh of the pelvic organs. Peruna relieves these cases simply because it relieves catarrh.

## TRIAL OF THE BAT- TLESHIP MINNE- SOTA

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 24.—

The preliminary trial of the Minnesوتا, one of the most powerful battleships ever built for the United States navy, takes place today over the official course in New England waters. Her trial will be made to determine how well she steams, whether her machinery works smoothly and approximately what her speed is. The ship is reported as fit as a race horse, and that she will meet and exceed the requirements of the contract is regarded as a certainty by naval experts who have closely watched her progress from the day her keel was laid down in the yards of the Newport News shipbuilding company.

Particular interest attaches to the trial of the Minnesوتا because it is the first for the new ships upon which there was a stipulation of an extra trial for speed of four hours' duration over a measured course. The ship will be tried according to the standardized screw method in accordance with the current practice, that method having heretofore given satisfactory results. The wording of the contract for the construction of the Minnesوتا is different from the wording of the contracts for ships which have recently had their trials, the requirements being that the ship shall be subjected to a trial speed of four hours' duration.

Other battleships of the same class as the Minnesوتا which will be tested soon are the Kansas and the Vermont. Each of these is expected to have her trials before the end of the present year. All three must maintain a speed of at least eighteen knots an hour. The Vermont is at the Fore River shipyard; the Kansas at the yard of the New York Shipbuilding company at Camden, N. J.

**Description of the Ships**

The Minnesوتا, the Kansas and the Vermont are each of 16,000 tons displacement and have 16,500 indicated horse-power. Each is 456 feet long, has 76 feet, 10 inches beam, and draws 24 feet 6 inches of water. These ships have two military masts fitted for wireless telegraphy and three funnels. Their appearance is considerably different from the battleships of the Massachusetts type, which is smaller. The older type has the low free board, whereas the larger ships are high out of the water. The older ships have but two funnels. The Alabama class resembles the Minnesوتا more closely,

although the funnels of that type are two in number and are placed abreast. It will take 840 officers and bluejackets to man each one of the new ships, against 580 for a ship like the Massachusetts.

The Minnesوتا and her sister ships will carry an armament of four 12-inch and eight 8-inch breech loading rifles in turrets and twelve 7-inch breech-loading rifles in broadside batteries, besides twenty 3-inch rapid-fire guns, twelve 3-pounder rapid firers and eight 1-pounder guns. There are also to be on board two 3-inch field guns, six .30 calibre automatic and two .30 calibre Maxim pieces for the use of landing parties. This is much more effective than that of the earlier battleships.

## CATHEDRAL DEDICATION

(Special Tribune Service.)

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 24.—The magnificent new St. Paul's Roman Catholic cathedral at Fifth avenue and Craig street, was formally dedicated today amid much pomp and ceremony, and the eloquent sermon of Cardinal Gibbons that followed was heard by fully 4,000 people. The dedicatory services proper were commenced early in the forenoon, when His Eminence, in his scarlet robes, attended by archbishops and bishops garbed in purple, and scores of white robed priests, entered upon the formal duties, according to the requirements of the church ritual for such occasions. The stately walls, roofs, pillars, and every part of the massive building, were blessed and sprinkled with holy oils and perfumed waters. On the floor ashes were strewn in the shape of a cross, and therein Bishop Canavin inscribed the letters of the Latin and Greek alphabets, symbolical of the fact that the edifice was consecrated to God for and on behalf of the people of all nations.

When the formal ceremonies had been concluded the doors were thrown open to the public, and the crowd began pouring in. Mass was then celebrated in the presence of the cardinal and prelates. The music was a conspicuous part of the ceremonies. The musical program was under the direction of Prof. Joseph Otten. A boys' choir, a priests' choir and the Capuchin Fathers' choir figured in the event.

**Description of the Cathedral**

The new cathedral has been over two years in building, and an almost fabulous sum of money has been spent in its construction. The edifice has two large spires, and in this and several other respects closely resembles the celebrated cathedral of Cologne. It is an example of pure Gothic architecture. It is the only cathedral in America to have the double celestial arrangement. The pulpit stands in the middle of the building, between the entrance and the sanctuary, instead of at the end. To enable all members of the congregation to face the pulpit the backs of the pews between that point and the altar are reversible.

From the face of the towers to the sanctuary the distance is 220 feet, and the inside width of the transept is 128 feet. The width between the main walls is 100 feet, and the height from the floor to the apex of the nave is seventy-five feet.

The walls are of a pale ivory tinge, while the altars are constructed of Carrara marble. In contrast with them is the rich dark beauty of the woodwork, which is of Tihony, imported from Ireland. The pews are richly carved, and the confessionals are embellished with exquisite scroll work and traceries. The memorial windows are massive and map colored. The main white marble altar of the sanctuary rises thirty-seven feet. To the right and left is a forest of white columns, which support each clementory.

Three heirlooms from the old cathedral occupy prominent positions in the new edifice. One is Gherardi's painting of the Crucifixion, secured in Rome in 1857 by Bishop O'Connor, which hangs above the main altar; another is the Sistine Madonna, presented by Andrew Carnegie thirteen years ago, and the third is the mammoth pipe organ, also presented by Mr. Carnegie.

The Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. Abraham James, Sixth and Ferry streets, yesterday afternoon.

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The power to think rests largely upon the things you eat. There is no doubt about this. Start the day on the right food and you will think right — you will think easier, more clearly—all day long. Toasted Corn Flakes are the best food for thinking people, because the weakest stomach digests them easily. Besides they possess more of the elements that build brain, bone and muscle than any other cereal. And they are the most delicious of all ready-to-serve cereals, possessing a flavor never before put into a breakfast food. You'll agree if you try them and they'll agree with you.—10c all grocers.

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BATTLE CREEK, MICH.

## POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

(Tribune Special Service.)

Charles E. Hughes is the only republican to be nominated for governor by the republican party in New York, since its organization fifty years ago, who had not previously held public office.

Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia is the latest recruit to urge another term for President Roosevelt.

The National Association of Agricultural Implement and Vehicle Manufacturers, at its annual convention recently held in Chicago, adopted a resolution in favor of a general revision of the tariff laws and better reciprocity arrangements with foreign countries.

Congressman Julius Kahn who used to represent one of the most populous districts in San Francisco, now finds it meagerly populated. Two years ago the district cast for congressman 35,226 votes, while at the present time there are not more than 8,000 voters.

The county campaign of Butte county, South Dakota, is enlivened by two young women, who, without affiliation with any particular political party, are running for the office of county superintendent of public instruction.

Harry B. Wolf, who is running for congress in the Third Maryland district, began his career as a newsboy and became in succession fire lighter, office boy, law clerk, student, lawyer and politician. He is not yet 30 years of age.

The Second district of Oklahoma, which ex-Governor Ferguson hopes to represent in congress, contains nearly 18,000 square miles and borders upon four states—Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. The district is larger by more than 1,000 square miles than the states of Delaware, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts and the District of Columbia.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

(Tribune Special Service.)

TOPEKA, Kas., Oct. 24.—Scores of delegates from Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, and from states farther distant are gathered in Topeka to take part in the annual convention of the Sunday School Union of the Methodist church which will be in session here during the remainder of the week. A program of comprehensiveness and variety has been prepared for the meeting, and speakers of national reputation at least in the fields of Methodism, will furnish the addresses. Evangelism in the Sunday school is the central theme of the convention.

## COLLEGE GRIDIRONS TODAY

Annapolis vs. Western Maryland, at Annapolis, Md.

Gettysburg vs. Lebanon, at Gettysburg, Pa.

Washburn vs. Colorado, at Topeka, Kas.

## If You are Tired

Of repairing them old tires, come to us and get new ones. We have them for sale. We do a general repair Business. Bicycles for sale—New and Old.

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You will have to look long and far to find a totally uninteresting advertisement—or one that will not, in some manner, repay the reader.

## OWN YOUR HOME!



## FOR SALE.

Two fine and valuable properties on West Ave. South. MUST be sold.

Modern House with City Hot Water Heat, Barn; desirable and a Bargain. South Eighth Street.

Fine House, with barn, east front on South Ninth Street.

Above are three only of many desirable properties.

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## A Harvest of Matchless Bargains.

We say matchless because our advertisements are distinguished from most others by the omission of misrepresentations and exaggerations. Compare the prices and merchandise and you will understand.

<b>SILKS</b> We have one exceptional lot of choice plaid and Fancy Silk in waist and suit lengths regular \$1.00 values at choice for this sale <b>69c per yard</b>	<b>WAISTINGS</b> Tricot Flannel in all popular shades at per yard <b>25 Cents</b> Wool challies in all the pretty shades and satin striped at <b>39 Cents Per Yard.</b>	<b>FRENCH FLANNEL</b> Best quality of imported French Flannel, 85c values at <b>69 Cents Per Yard.</b> Fancy striped waist patterns in 3 1/2 yard lengths for <b>59 Cents Per Pattern.</b>
<b>FLANNELETTES</b> A new line of pretty patterns for Dressing Sacques and Kimonas at— <b>10, 12c, 15c and 19 Cents Per Yard</b>	<b>TABLE LINEN</b> Our Thanksgiving assortment of Table Linen, Napkins, Doilies, and Center Pieces is complete with many desirable bargains to select from.	<b>BROADCLOTH</b> A complete line of black and colors in dependable Broadcloths at— <b>\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 Per Yard.</b>
<b>MIXED SUITINGS</b> All our imported stripes, checks, and fancy mixed suitings. Values up to \$2.00 a yard at <b>\$1.50 per Yd.</b>	<b>OUR NEW BASEMENT</b> Lately rearranged with quantities of desirable merchandise at small prices.	<b>BLANKETS, COMFORTERS</b> Cotton Blankets from <b>49c up to \$1.98</b> Wool Blankets from <b>\$1.98 up to \$10.00</b> Comforters from <b>98c up to \$4.50</b>

**Mrs. E. E. Chaplins' Art Department**  
 GET BUSY FOR THE HOLIDAYS.  
 For **FRIDAY** and **SATURDAY** only we offer you your choice of a large assortment of stamped and Fancy Pillow Tops, worth 50c and 75c, at.....  
**19c each**

**AMERICAN BEAUTY CORSETS**  
 Miss Harrison, expert Corsetiere, will be with me but **THREE** more days, giving Free Fittings, and Talks of this well known make of Corsets. A large assortment, adapted to all figures, constantly in stock. Prices from **\$3.00 to \$1.00.**  
**MISS A. LENNON.**

**MADAM CONKLIN LADIES' HATTER**  
 Newly arrived Copies of the latest Parisian Hats are in this Special Comparison Fall Lot, at.....  
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 Another Sensational Showing of Millinery at.....  
**\$5.00**  
**Another Matchless Display of Superb Hats**  
 such as others cannot sell under \$8.00, \$10.00 and even \$12.00—Our prestige as the leaders in Hats at \$5.00, will be further enhanced by this remarkable display. Many of the newly arrived Hats are exact copies of the most expensive Parisian models. Beautiful Hats all this week, for.....  
**\$5.00**  
**SPECIAL**  
 Wine Color Ostrich Plumes, 20 inch long, at.....  
**\$2.75**

## A GREAT LINE OF FURS In Our Cloak Department.

We have Furs for All Classes--Fine Furs Made in the New Styles--At Prices so Low that you will be Astonished.

A nice Coney Cluster Scarf at.....	<b>\$1.25</b>	Brown Coney Long Scarfs, 6 Tails.....	<b>\$3.50</b>
Sable or Isabella Oppossum Cluster Scarfs, at.....	<b>\$2.75</b>	Brown Coney Muffs, at.....	<b>\$1.98</b>
Fancy Gray Squirrel Neck Piece, special at.....	<b>\$3.98</b>	A beautiful line of Children's Furs at.....	<b>98c up to \$6.00</b>
Russian Sable Squirrel, Fancy Stowel.....	<b>\$8.50</b>	A new line of Ladies' Coats special values at.....	<b>\$10.00</b>
Brown Martin Cluster Scarfs 4 Tails.....	<b>\$5.00</b>	A good line of Misses' and Children's Coats at up from.....	<b>\$3.98</b>

## NORTH SIDE

### CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Moos of Sand Lake conlee will entertain about one hundred and fifty couples tomorrow evening at their home at a silver wedding, which promises to be one of the greatest events which has taken place in that vicinity.  
 A dance is to be given in the evening and a good time is assured.

### WEDDING SURPRISE TO FRIENDS

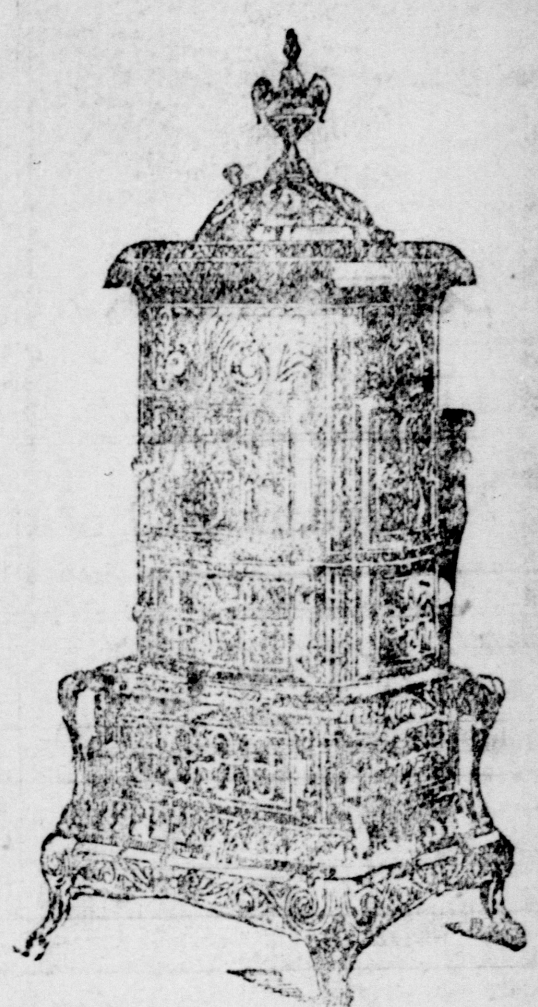
Miss Margaret McManus and Jacob Hauser were united in marriage this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the St. James parsonage, 1032 Caledonia street, Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating.  
 Miss Laura Tidball attended the bride and Ernest Hauser, brother of the groom acted as best man.  
 After the ceremony they went to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Frank Desmond, 1303 Kane street, where a reception was tendered the young couple after which they went to the home of the groom, 1233 Kane street where a dainty wedding supper was served to a large number of guests.  
 A large number of relatives and friends were present at the reception and Mr. and Mrs. Hauser were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents.  
 Mr. Hauser is a well known fireman on the Burlington road and Miss McManus has many friends in the city and has been employed as a milliner on the South side.  
 They will make their home, for the present, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hauser, 1233 Kane street.  
 The news of the wedding will no doubt come as a surprise to their many friends as it was understood they were going to Minneapolis or Madison to have the ceremony performed. As Rev. Murphy was out of the city until a few minutes before the ceremony this afternoon, it was supposed that the report that they would be married at his parsonage was without foundation.  
 Their many friends congratulate them.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

The Ladies' Guild of St. Peter's church, corner Avon and Logan streets, will serve meals for the teachers' convention in the church parlors of Christ church, La Crosse, on Friday and Saturday.  
 Mrs. John Dankertson has returned to her home at St. Paul after a week's visit at the home of John Desmond, 1126 Caledonia street.  
 Mr. Wright of Bangor, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Brien of Kane street.  
 The Ladies' society of the German Lutheran church will hold their apron bazaar, supper, ice cream social Friday and Saturday in the Phillips building, 1205 Caledonia street.  
 The Ladies' society of the Norwegian Lutheran church on Charles street met this afternoon at the church parlors and were entertained by Mrs. Henry Hanson. In the evening the young people were entertained.  
 Louis Olson and Elmer Yehle have gone on a hunting expedition of three days.  
 John Davis of Avon street is rapidly improving.  
 Miss Anna Pragg of Tomah visited Mrs. Charles Bauch of 217 Sumner street yesterday.  
 Mrs. Daniel Dineen has returned home from a few weeks' visit at Chicago, Milwaukee and Fort Atkinson.  
 Mrs. Gunder Johnson will return this evening from St. Paul.  
 The rumor that the Rubber Mills company has purchased the old Holway mill site on Black river is untrue.  
 Work is progressing rapidly at the Grand Crossing extension in the roundhouse which is being made so that larger engines which have recently been put on can be housed there.  
 The Caledonia street crossings over the brick arch are open and the first block of the north end is also being used.  
 Harry Maxwell has returned home from a hunting trip at Marshall Junction with twelve ducks.

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 It has all the Fine Features found in Higher Priced Hard Coal Base Burners. We have three sizes--this sale only as per cut—  
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**REMEMBER THE MONITOR—WE CARRY A FINE LINE.**  
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**A. & O. SLETTEN 1217-1219 Caledonia Street .....**



For the next thirty days I will give one dozen of cabinets and a photo button for \$2.25. J. O. Hebert, 806 Caledonia street.  
 Mrs. M. F. Smith returned yesterday to her home at Milwaukee after a few days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Lidell of 607 Wall street.  
 Miss Agnes Hickey is the guest of her brother Charles, on Avon street.  
 Mrs. Hickey and daughter, Miss Nellie, who have been here the past few days at the home of Charles Hickey of Avon street have returned to their home at Prescott. They attended the funeral of Mr. Hickey's boy who died a few days ago.  
 Four stock trains passed over the Burlington road today.  
 North sides who are in the contest can get votes for their subscriptions at the north side Tribune office.  
 Phone 785 A, and subscribe for the Tribune.  
 The steam shovel which has been working on the Milwaukee road double tracking at La Crescent has been taken off and sent to Dubuque.  
 The work trains will remain there yet for some time however, and men will be used hereafter instead of the shovel.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Peter Frischbach and son Michael accompanied by Miss Katherine Webber left today for Mellette, South Dakota, where they will spend several weeks.  
 Miss Hallie Lavaque is ill at her home at 815 Rose street.  
 Mrs. Ginnis McDonald has returned to her home at Knife River, Wis., after a few weeks visit at the home of her brother John B. Capellan, the Mill street clothier.  
 A valuable horse owned by the Erickson bill posting service died today.  
 Jacob Hahn the Mill street grocer has purchased a new delivery horse.  
 Elmer Yehle proprietor of the north side Langdon & Boyd shop is enjoying his vacation, hunting.

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**"ONLY A PRIVATE"**  
 Matinee Prices 10c and 20c. Night 10c, 20c & 30c.  
 Monday night customary ladies free will be given  
 Four handsome Rocking Chairs will be given away Saturday Night as Souvenirs.  
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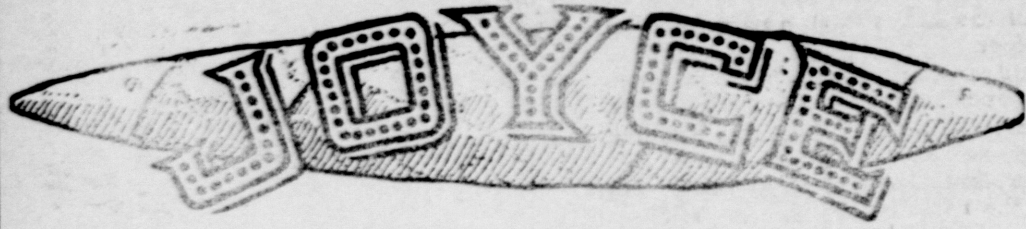
**W. B. CORSETS**  
**Best Without Costing Most**  
**ALL DEALERS SELL THEM AT \$1.00 UPWARDS**  
**WEINGARTEN BROS., Makers, 377-379 Broadway, N. Y.**

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Aiken entertain at a six o'clock dinner this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Schall, who leave shortly for Seattle.  
 Miss Belle Alen and Fritz Ruba were married last Wednesday. The wedding was a quiet one. But few knowing of it until after the ceremony was performed.  
 Mrs. Hans Hendrickson returned from Chaseberg today, where she has been visiting her son Mr. Peter Hendrickson for two weeks.  
 The city teachers will attend the teachers' convention at La Crosse next Friday. An interesting meeting is expected.  
 William Mathewson leaves for Minneapolis tomorrow.  
 The young ladies missionary society will give an entertainment at Woodman hall Wednesday evening, October 24.  
 Republican rally at Woodman hall tomorrow evening.  
**MRS. N. E. W.**  
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### VOTE FOR GOOD MEN

(R. B. Gelatt in Leader-Press Oct. 28, 1904.)

"THE CITIZEN SHOULD DIVEST HIMSELF OF PARTISAN BIAS SO FAR AS HE IS ABLE AND VOTE FOR COUNTY OFFICERS ON THE GROUNDS OF THE QUALIFICATIONS OF THE CANDIDATES FOR THOSE OFFICES. THE MORAL STANDING, THE HABITS, SUCCESS OR FAILURE he has shown in his own business and the SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS for the office sought ought to be weighed in the case of each candidate. This takes time but it is no light matter to assist in the selection of public officers and EVERY CITIZEN OWES IT TO THE PUBLIC TO DO IT INTELLIGENTLY."

### BEHIND THE POLITICAL MASK

Some people, just a few people, have an idea that the chief qualification for office is being a "good fellow." It isn't, but supposing it were? Mr. Voter, do you think Harry Palmer is a good fellow? What makes a good fellow, anyway? Twice, once when running for alderman and now that he is running for sheriff, Palmer has invited you to the bar as often as he met you, about. He has spent money lavishly for drinks and cigars, he has expressed a boisterous fondness for you, he has been a "good fellow."

But that was during election times. You can't judge a man by what he does when he is running for office and wants you to vote for him? If you want to know just what kind of a man he is you must go back to the things he did when he wasn't running for office and had no use for you. What kind of a fellow was he then, when he was not trying to work you for your vote, Mr. Voter? Can you recall any good he ever did you then? Did he ever do anyone any good then? What good did he do anybody? He took his drinks, and he had his "warm time," and if you were invited it was because he wanted you to contribute to his pleasure and help pay the expenses. Did he go out of his way then to befriend you? Did he do any good to the public? Do you know of any kindly impulse he has shown? Do you know that he ever helped a suffering or needy person? HAS he been a "good fellow" outside of campaign times? Take off his political mask and see him as he is.

And you, Mr. Republican, do you know of anything Palmer has done for the republican party? He was elected alderman as a republican. What right had he to call himself a republican? Did you not always class him as a democrat until he ran for alderman as a republican? Was he ever a republican worker? Was he a ward officer, a delegate, a precinct worker, a champion of republican principles? What has he done for the republican party, or the city, or for anybody since he has been an alderman? Do you know of any effort he has made to accomplish anything there. How many council meetings has he attended? How many republicans did he vote for in the last election, do you suppose? You KNOW he openly supported the democratic nominee for sheriff. Is he entitled to your republican vote now because he voted against your republican candidate last time? How many republicans do you think he will vote for this time?

There are but two things upon which Harry Palmer depends for votes. One of them is that he thinks there are a lot of guillable young people in the county who will jump at the conclusion that he is a "good fellow" because he is spending lots of money in the saloons. The other is that he thinks a lot of republicans will think they ought to vote for him because he says he is a republican. Everybody who regards the proper filling of public office as a serious matter will vote for the man they think best qualified. IT IS a serious affair, this election. It requires serious consideration. All voters should stop to think whether they should vote for a man because he claims to be a "good fellow," and whether, after all, he is a "good fellow." Republican voters should consider whether they should vote for an unsatisfactory candidate just because he claims to be a republican, and whether, after all, he is a republican.

There were Duncan and Lehnhoff and Hodge and Derr and Vollmar and Keiser and Kennedy—all true republicans and all clean men—all telling republican voters in the pre-primary campaign how unfit Palmer was for the office. An aggregate of 2,700 republicans believed them. The anti-Palmer record was made by republicans, not democrats. What these men said then is true now. Palmer is as unfit now as these square republicans said he was then.

Mr. Palmer has openly declared he opposed Sheriff Hougens' election two years ago. What do you think of that, Mr. Hougens? What do you republican supporters and friends of Mr. Hougens think of it? Do you

## WING REPUDIATES PALMER

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 5, 1906.  
Bangor, Wis.

Frank B. Gesler, Esq.  
Dear Gesler:

I want to commend the stand you and Trimbel of West Salem have taken on the candidate for sheriff.

There is no party obligation so strong as the MORAL OBLIGATION TO REFUSE TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE ON YOUR TICKET IF YOU KNOW HE IS INTELLECTUALLY AND MORALLY UNFIT FOR ANY OFFICE TO WHICH HE ASPIRES; and when he has secured the nomination by soliciting democrats to vote in republican caucuses, it is more than ever IMPORTANT TO TEACH A LESSON THAT WILL NOT BE FORGOTTEN BY FUTURE CANDIDATES.

The republican candidate expects to get enough democratic votes to elect him, as he did to nominate him, but if the decent republicans of La Crosse county do their duty, there will not be democrats enough—of HIS kind—to do any harm.

Yours truly,

E. M. WING.

## A. J. PHILIPS, REPUBLICAN, AGAINST PALMER

West Salem, Wis., Oct. 3, 1906.

Dear Mr. Gesler:

I desire to congratulate you on your stand on the sheriff question. Let the Chronicle howl. YOU VOICE THE SENTIMENT OF THE BETTER CLASS OF VOTERS.

Stick to it, for YOU ARE RIGHT. Have your paper independent in reality as well as name.

Yours truly,

A. J. PHILIPS.

I agree to the proposition that Mr. Palmer is entitled to republican votes because he secured the republican nomination when only two years ago he himself fought a republican nominee?

"—La Crosse merchants are such persistent buyers of advertising space in the Sunday Chronicle that advertisers elsewhere are also confident of its solid and increasing value."—Chronicle.

Is that your only answer, Mr. Gelatt, to the sworn accusation that the Chronicle's sworn circulation statement is a sworn lie, and that it actually has but one-third the circulation that it claims as a basis upon which to sell advertising space? You really should enter a general denial or a confession and avoidance.

The significance of the conviction of Standard Oil and the New York Central, following a dozen other decisions of similar nature but lesser importance, cannot be mistaken. No matter what political party is in power, trustdom and its grafts are going to be called to account. Tom Lawson must feel like the man who put the handwriting on the wall.

New York democrats of both factions seem to have been willing to commercialize their politics. This unfortunate fact reflects no discredit upon the big men who are honestly contending for principle, but it certainly does the candidacy of Mr. Hughes no harm.

Admiration of the enterprise of the German singing societies in their endeavor to accomplish the mighty task of preparing for the saengerfest is inspired on every hand. These people don't need an alarm clock to keep awake, they are always awake.

The exposures of railroad rebating and blacklisting of independents continue. It is evident that the word "competition" was soon to have become obsolete in the language of commerce and industry.

The finance committee of the city council having provided sufficient funds to cover the requested raise in firemen's salaries, it looks as though the temper of the council was favorable.

What a great figure Carry Nation could have cut as leader of the women suffragists who raided the English house of commons. She would have smashed that joint to a finish.

Wonder how advertisers relish paying advertising rates based on a sworn circulation statement of 6,506 in a newspaper that is now known to have but about 2,000?

It is now the contention that all republicans must support Palmer for sheriff in this election because Palmer supported the democratic candidate two years ago.

Mr. Palmer's opinion that the North side "roundheads" can go to — and he will be elected anyway is characteristic but not vote inspiring.

Well, Jimmie, how's your circulation today? Remember you are under oath and therefore free to say anything you want to say.

The more the other fellows rant about that paper of Judge Reid, the more advertising it will get, which is just what is wanted.

We suggest the impropriety of the weather man trying to April fool us in October.

J. Lipki, being first duly sworn, on oath, deposes and says—

## BROADBRIDGE BEGINS LECTURES TOMORROW

The first of the series of lectures on scientific salesmanship will be given tomorrow evening at the Y. M. C. A. hall and, owing to the active and earnest interest taken by the business men of the city, it will certainly attract a very generous attendance.

Two lectures will be given this week, on Thursday and Friday evenings, and four lectures next week, commencing Tuesday evening.

The complete course of instruction, comprising six lectures on the science and art of introducing goods and securing a profit, will include such special topics as business logic, the development of personality, the proper approach, confidence, thoughts and attitudes, self development and the successful closing of sales.

Mr. Broadbridge's experience in this

teacher and lecturer is sufficient guarantee of the most skillful handling of the subjects, and his ability to notably increase the efficiency of those who accept and apply the principles taught.

The course embodies every phase and feature of salesmanship, not only as it is practiced by those actually engaged in selling merchandise, but as it is practiced by every profession and calling.

Tickets for the entire course, or for single admissions, can be secured at the office of the Y. M. C. A. or obtained from the manager, W. C. Webster, Stoddard hotel.

Earl Higbee has left for Horicon, Wis., to accept a position with the Van Brunt Mfg. Co. Earl is a W. B. U. graduate.

You order your own personal supply of "bad luck" day by day. Simply fail to read the ads will usually keep your supply from running short.

## JUST LIFE



The Old "Stand-bys"

It is better to stand by the old ship In the troublesome voyage of life, Than to venture a ride on a craft untried, In the teeth of the gale of strife, Because the new one might leak.

It is better to cling to old friends, The friends you know are true, Who have shared your clouds and sunshine, Than to give them up for new, Because old friends will loan you money.

It is better to dream on the old dream, Of pleasant "old-day" fakes, Than to take a chance with a new dream, That might be filled with snakes, Because a new dream might be a nightmare.

It is better to wear your old clothes, The clothes with the patched seat, Than to spend your cash for new ones, Because you might get beat.

The yeggs who claim to be boys, though their hair is gray, present a new idea for the district attorney.

Well, anyway, we could have some good cock fights without interruption, if Harry gets in.

### A Bad Break

A Market street business man had occasion to call up a newspaper man the other day over the telephone, and there's where the joke comes in. The said newspaper man was sitting at his desk smoking, when he had occasion to use his desk telephone. He arose, forgetfully laid the cigar he was smoking in a chair and took down the receiver. Just as he lifted the receiver a friend stepped into the office and started to sit down in the chair. Not realizing that the operator could hear what he was saying, and just as she was about to say, "Number, please?" in her sweetest tones, the newspaper man yelled: "Look out there! You'll burn your pants!" Communication between him and central was at once cut off.—Galveston Courier.

### What is a Gentleman?

The question always comes up: What is a gentleman? Some say he is a man with a silk hat, and others a man with a smooth tongue. But men connected with the newspaper trade have a canon of their own. "Mr. Editor," said a patron one day, "how is it you never call on me to pay for your paper?" "Oh," said the man of types, "we never ask a gentleman for money." "Indeed," the patron replied, "How do you manage to get along if they don't pay?" "Why," said Mr. Editor, "after a certain time we conclude he is not a gentleman, and then we ask him for it."

—W. V. K.

## NOTABLE BIRTHDAYS.

### The Marquis of Ripon

The Marquis of Ripon enters upon his eightieth year, today. He was born Oct. 24, 1827. Lord Ripon spent considerable time at Washington in the capacity of High Commissioner in connection with the negotiation of the so-called treaty of Washington of 1871. It was for his services in this connection that he was promoted from an earldom to a marquise. He has almost every portfolio in the British cabinet except that of Premier, having been in turn Secretary of State for War, for India, and for the Colonies, as well as Lord President of the Council, and First Lord of the Admiralty. Lady Ripon was for a time "lady of the bedchamber" to Queen Alexandra while still Princess of Wales, and is one of the most charming and sweet-tempered great women in English society. Lady and Lord Ripon have only one child, the Earl de Grey, famous as the champion sporting shot of the United Kingdom, and whose wife is the well-known Countess de Grey, one of the most conspicuous figures in English society and the warm friend and associate of Queen Alexandra.

Della Elliott, a W. B. U. graduate, has accepted a position with the Midland Bros., St. Paul, Minn.

# APPLES

Open Heads  
Bulk Apples  
Buy now before snow  
flies. Prices are low.

John C. Burns  
Fruit House.

# OVERCOATS



HAVE YOU BOUGHT your Winter Overcoat yet? If you are thinking of getting one it is best to get it early while every line is full and you can get exactly what suits you best. We are selling a right nice stylish one at—

\$15.00

You can't duplicate it in La Crosse unless you pay more money. Drop in and see if you can't save \$2 by buying your coat from us.

OUR SPECIAL \$15 SUITS

We want you to step into our store and see the splendid suits we are selling at \$15.00. It won't take you long to see that they are the best suits for the money you have seen in many a day. They are not all one color, but we have them in all the latest patterns. They are just as well tailored as any of the more costly suits.

STRICTLY ONE PRICE TO ALL

M. & C. Newburg

Cor. Third and Pearl Streets.



# AT THE THEATERS

When the Sousa Opera company appears at the La Crosse theater Tuesday, Oct. 30 with Klaw & Erlanger's presentation of the "march king's" latest and best comic opera production, "The Free Lance," we are promised not alone a feast of that stirring, sniging, rhythmic and harmonious music which has placed John Philip Sousa at the head and front of all composers in his class in this country today, but the best libretto of a real comic opera that has been written by an American librettist since "Robin Hood" and Harry B. Smith the author of the latter is also sponsor of "The Free Lance," which is termed a military comic opera in two acts. Joseph Cawthorn, so well known locally as one of the best comic opera comedians, is the stellar feature of the cast and has been provided with a character eminently fitted to show off his humorous personality to the utmost. The principal characters are assumed by Nella Bergen, Albert Hart, Jeannette Lowrie, George Tallman, Stanley Murphy and George Schiller. A singing ensemble of one hundred accompanies the production. An entire orchestra accompanies the organization.

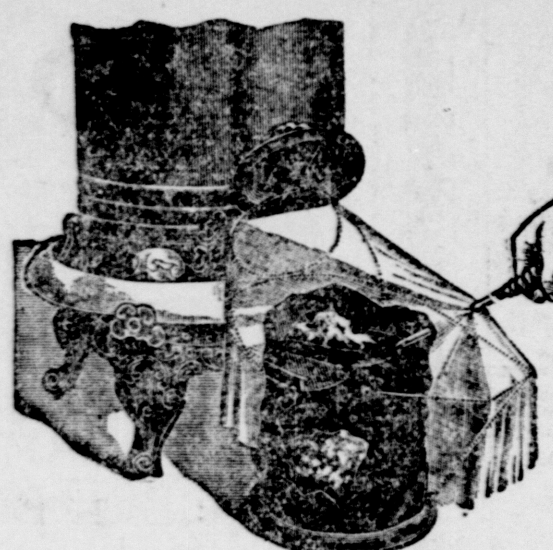
Hugh O'Rourke resigned his position with Ferrell & Co., Princeton, to accept a much more lucrative one with the C. St. P. M. & O. R. R., St. Paul. Hugh is a W. B. U. graduate.

## MURDERER'S PAL CANNOT BE FOUND

(Scripps-McKee Dispatch.) CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 24.—The police have not located "Lem" Harding, alias Leopold, the alleged drug field, accused by Howard Nicholas as an accomplice in the murder of Margaret Leslie, the actress, for \$2,000 worth of jewels. The coroner's deputy returned a verdict of suicide, and the police were about to release Nicholas, when he confessed.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women

# COLE'S ORIGINAL HOT BLAST=THE CLEAN STOVE



Cut No. 1 Shows how Dustless Ash Cover is used—the modern method. (Patented)

**DUST PROOF**  
Cole's Original Hot Blast is the cleanest stove ever placed on the market. Our method of removing ashes shown by cut No. 1, is perfectly clean and overcomes the many objections to the ash pan used in other stoves. The elbow draft casting with its upward slant allows the empty coalhod to be set under the draft so that no ashes or coals can be spilled on the floor. Our patented dustless ash cover shown by illustration is furnished free with Nos. 122, 132, 182 and 196 stoves. It keeps down every particle of dust in removing ashes, a feature that will be appreciated by every tidy housekeeper.

Ash pans when used in other stoves are too small to hold a full 24 hours' accumulation of ashes. They are usually over-filled when removed, and the ashes in the bottom of the stove are dragged out on to the carpet, as shown by cut No. 2. You are all fam-

iliar with the ash pan method, and have, no doubt, gone through the process many times of spreading a newspaper or cloth under your stove every time the over-filled pan is removed.

The ash pan is not only dirty, but is a great evil in stove construction. It adds a door and joints which can be made only temporarily air-tight by the use of stove putty. These joints open after a few weeks' use, rendering ash pan stoves worthless as fire keepers, and makes them fuel-eaters rather than fuel-savers. The ash pan and the shield for guiding ashes into the pan, also prevent base heat.

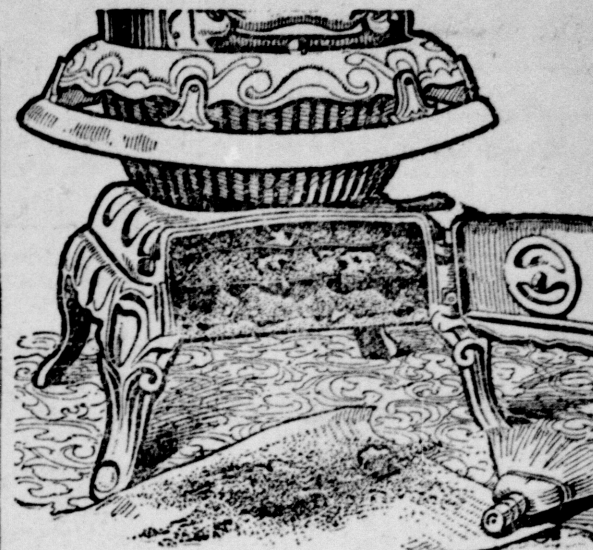
**Our method is the only clean way. The whisk broom, turkey wing and dust cloth are dispensed with.** There are no joints to leak air, base heat is not retarded and Cole's Hot Blast is the cleanest stove, the best floor heater and the only stove in the world which can be guaranteed to remain always air-tight.

## SMOKE PROOF

The feed door on this stove is guaranteed smoke proof and does away with the escape of smoke, soot and gas into the house. Side feed doors used on other stoves discharge a cloud of gas and soot-laden smoke into the house and scatter soot and ashes over the carpet when opened.

Another point: In feeding coal into a side feed door it has to be thrown into the stove, which usually results in scattering much of it over the floor. With our cleanly smoke proof feed door the coal is poured into the stove even to the dust in the bottom of the hod without a particle being spilled on the floor.

This clean and economical stove burns the gases which often escape into the rooms with other stoves. The annoyance and dirt from kindling new fires is dispensed with, as the rooms are heated up for two or three hours each morning with the fuel put in the night before and the Fire is Never Out. COLE'S ORIGINAL HOT BLAST is the cleanest stove made and will more than save its cost in fuel each winter.



Cut No. 2 Shows the dirty ash pan method.

## FRED DITTMAN HARDWARE COMPANY 129 SOUTH FOURTH ST.

## RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE MISSISSIPPI IMPROVEMENT ASSN.

Copies of the resolutions adopted at the recent annual convention of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association at Minneapolis have been received in La Crosse.

The resolutions in full follow:

Whereas, the benefits derived by the people of the whole country from the past development of our inland lakes and rivers by reducing and regulating the rates of freight are many hundred times greater than all the money ever voted by congress for the improvement of rivers and harbors; and

Whereas, the United States government has rightfully assumed control of all rivers and harbors, we believe that it is the duty of our government not only to control such waterways but to improve and enhance them in a manner commensurate with our agricultural, commercial and manufacturing development.

Resolved, that the congress of the

United States should adopt the report of the United States engineers recommending a six-foot channel from the upper Mississippi river and that it should appropriate such sums of money as will be necessary to carry out such plan, the same to be done under the continuing appropriations act.

Resolved, that we favor the continuation, extension and completion of the reservoir system of the upper Mississippi along lines so ably presented in the report of our committee on reservoirs and as recommended by the United States engineers.

Resolved, that we favor the completion of the Illinois and Mississippi (the Hennepin) canal at the earliest possible date.

Resolved, that the dam on the upper Mississippi river should be marked by suitable buoys.

Having the utmost confidence in the patriotism, integrity and superior skill of the United States engineers in

charge of the upper Mississippi river, we recommend that the size of the lock in the proposed Keokuk and Hamilton dam be left to their judgment.

Resolved, that this association continue its membership in the national rivers and harbors congress. That the president send not to exceed three delegates, of which he shall be one, to the next annual meeting of that congress, and that the expense at the meeting be paid out of our treasury.

Resolved, that this convention heartily indorse the effective work of the national government under the forestry bureau of the department of agriculture in effectively guarding our forests from destruction and in the work of restoration, thereby subserving our natural resources and maintaining a continuing water supply.

Resolved, that we express our appreciation of the good work done by the daily and weekly press and by magazine writers in placing the importance of this movement before the people of the United States.

**Blood Poisoning**  
results from chronic constipation, which is quickly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. They remove all poisonous germs from the system and infuse new life and vigor; cure sour stomach, nausea, headache, dizziness and colic, without griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart, druggist.

## MOREY STOCK COMPANY PLEASAS A LARGE AUDIENCE

The Morey Stock company pleased another good audience last night with the production of the comedy, "On Circus Day."

The drama of the evening was one that was strung upon a good thread of plot, with a good moral effect, clean and modern in its dialogue and stage setting. Every one of the dozen in the cast did full justice to the varied characters. The special scenery and costuming was in keeping with good usage for a presentation of a life like drama delineating scenes in real life. There was nothing boisterous or unnatural.

Miss Leila Summerlin, the leading lady, has a pleasant personality and a good voice, and gave a good interpretation of the wayward girl. Gussie Taxis, the child of the circus, with her naturalness of manner made her a favorite from the first. Her character was one to please and she did it justice. Violet Hall as Becky, did a clever piece of acting in a very difficult role. Perle Kincaid sustained her character with credit to herself. Robert Lawrence as Bob Ackley, the hero, was splendid and showed his ability to play the lover to perfection. Marc Robbins as the villain, showed polish and thorough knowledge of stage craft which stamped him as an actor of much ability. Cassey Rauson, as "Old Razorback Jim," the circus manager, was a fine piece of character work in which he appeared easy and natural and who cut a big figure in defeating the villain. Little Johnny, the silly kid, as played by C. C. McMechan, brought down the house whenever he made his appearance. His quaint, funny sayings did much to add to the comedy and interest of the play. C. Eddie Morton, as Spot Baker, won his share of the applause.

Throughout the evening the audience applauded freely and laughed its approval of humorous features.

Tonight the Morey Stock company presents a rural comedy entitled "Just Plain Folks."

We were shown four letters to the Wisconsin Business University bearing dates since October 16th, requesting bookkeepers and stenographers and Mr. Toland advised us that he has five calls in this city and no one to send to positons.

Dr. W. Powell, disease of women

## CITY NEWS

We do safe wiring. Electric Supply & Const. Co., 227 Main.

The ladies of the St. Mary's church will serve a 15 cent supper at the school hall Thursday from 5:30 until 8 p.m.

**Best of hack service. Gateway City Transfer line.**

Miss Bertha Shreiter is expected home from a European trip this week, tomorrow night.

**Wiring. The Heavy Light Man.**

The Eastern Star will give the first of its series of dances at Castle hall. It is really one of the most wonderful tonics for developing the figure and soothing the nerves ever offered to the American people. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Robert Matthews has returned to Chicago after a few days' visit with friends.

**Fine electric fixtures. A. O. Colby.**

The funeral of Miss Ida Volner was held yesterday afternoon from the First Baptist church.

**If you want a carriage get the Gateway City Transfer line. Both phones 179.**

Mr. George Cooper, 926 Main street left for the east last night. He will make an extensive trip visiting New York, Washington and points in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

The average young woman of today is busy. Beauty is only another name for health, and it comes to 99 out of every 100 who take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Mr. E. J. Noetzel has left for Milwaukee on a business trip.

Some say that city girls are poor, ignorant things. Some of them cannot tell a horse from a cow, but they do know that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is one of the greatest beautifiers known. Tea or tablets, 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Mr. Charles Dittman a former La Crosse boy left for Austin, Minn. after a brief visit here among friends. Mr. Dittman has charge of the local telephone station there.

Rummage sale tomorrow and Thursday.

Dr. Wm. Lambert, specialist. Women and chronic diseases, 511 Main St. Electric flat irons \$4.25. Elec. Sup. & Const. Co., 227 Main.

Oscar Anderson has left for the east on a business trip.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women—Supper will be served in the Universalist church parlors on Friday. Come and bring your friends.

That turkey will have only a few more weeks to gobble before he is made up into Thanksgiving dinner. Unless you use Squibb's first quality pure, fresh spices, none of your Thanksgiving cooking will taste as it ought to. All kinds of Squibb's pure spices at Young's Owl drug store.

## HASTE MAKES WASTE

Now is the right time to sit for CHRISTMAS PHOTOS. The sooner the better, as we expect to be rushed with Holiday work in the near future, and as it takes time to finish Photos in first class style we would like you to come in as soon as possible to avoid any hurry-up orders. We ask you all to come and see our work. We have a large variety of mounts appropriate for gifts. Our work speaks for itself. Enlargements made at reasonable prices. Open Sundays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Respectfully Yours,

KLEIST STUDIO COR. 5th AND STATE ST.

## NEW GROCERY FIRM TO START IN BUSINESS

Will J. Dunning of This City and Joe Matts of Madison Open November 1

Will J. Dunning and Joe Matts will open a grocery store at 119 South Third street, in Forscher's old store, Nov. 1. Fresh new stock of groceries and a delivery service that will be par excellence. Mr. Dunning was formerly with the Watson and the Lavake groceries. Mr. Matts is from Madison, Wis., but has been attending the W. B. U. in this city the past year. These two young men are hustlers and will apply their best efforts to serve the public and in giving every customer a square deal.

## THIS DATE IN HISTORY

October 24

1662—Arrival of William Penn at Newcastle, Del.

1716—Sieur de Bienville, founder of New Orleans, stopped at Mobile after an expedition against the Indians.

1842—Island of Madiera devastated by a storm.

1852—Daniel Webster died. Born Jan. 18, 1782.

1855—James Oliver Van de Velde, bishop of Natchez, died.

1871—Riots in Chinese quarter of Los Angeles; 18 Chinese hanged.

1877—George L. Fox, actor, died. Born July 3, 1825.

1887—Queen Victoria of Spain born.

1898—The limit for the Spanish evacuation of Cuba extended to Jan. 1, 1899.

1903—Lou Dillon trotted fastest mile on record at Memphis behind a wind shield.

1904—The Episcopal General Convention agreed on a new divorce canon.

1904—A railroad strike spread throughout the Russian Empire.

Courtship it not a failure—even though your rival married the girl. Answering want ads pays—even though, the other day, you missed a good chance because someone else answered the ad first.

## SMALLPOX SCARES TOWN

GALESBURG, Ill., Oct. 24.—The building of a pesthouse for smallpox patients was discussed at a conference between the Galesburg health board and the almshouse committee of the board of supervisors.

Such a step is considered necessary because of six cases of smallpox and the quarantining of twenty-five persons, some of whom disregard the restrictions. A woman patient disappeared last week for a number of days.

The establishment of a pesthouse will be recommended at the next meeting of the council and supervisors.

In addition to the cases here there are two cases in East Galesburg. The disease is of light form.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, bedroom suite, sideboard, Quick Meal range, chairs, rockers, etc. 711 Winnebago street.

FOR SALE—Standing office desk with drawers, eight feet long, four feet high. F. Kroner Hardware company and a half feet wide, three and a half any, 300 South Third.

FOR SALE—Full blooded Irish setter dog, 7 months old. Inquire 1006 Vine, upstairs.

WANTED—Painters; good workmen only. 203 State street.

WANTED—Competent girl, at 1612 Ferry street.

## RED BLOOD

Young's Beef, Wine and Iron makes it. Large bottle. 75c.

Young's Owl Drug Store

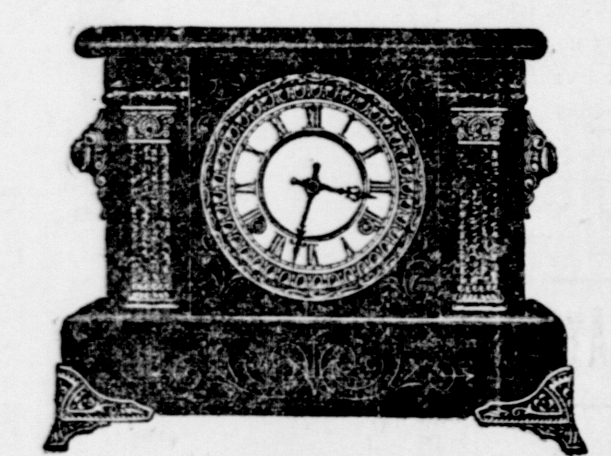
# IRVINE'S

We are making great preparations for our Holiday Trade. Many of our lines are now complete. Among the new goods just received is a full line of opera and field glasses, direct from the makers in Paris. By importing these goods we save both the importers' and Jobber's profits, to better illustrate the difference, a pair of fine pearl opera glasses that others ask \$7.50 to \$8.00 for, we sell for \$5.00. Convince yourself by making the comparison. Here are also bargains not to be found elsewhere.



25-year gold filled Hunting case, very thin. Waltham, 15 jewel movement. regular price \$24.00, our special price \$15.00

Same quality for ladies, but O size, smaller make \$12.50 to \$15.00

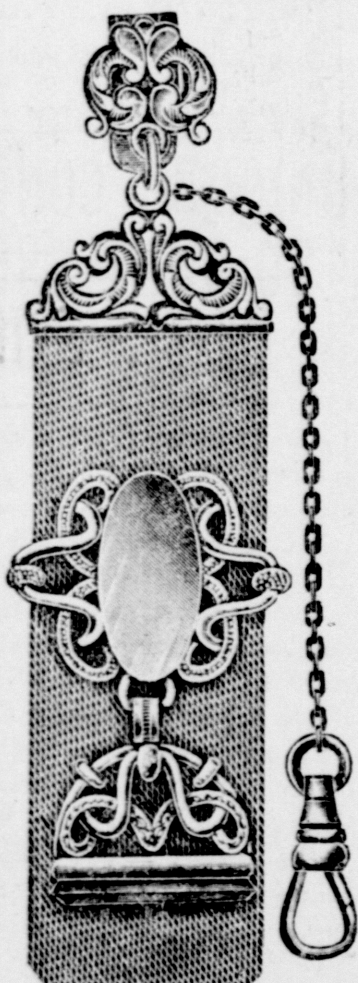


8-day, Marbelized case, sweet gong strike, regular price 16.00, special at \$3.85



Genuine Carmen bracelet, signet tops for monograms, engraving free. This is also utterly wholesale price, will cost from \$3.00 to \$5.00 in other stores.

We handle the highest grade quadruple silver plated ware. Beautiful 4-piece teaset from \$9.00 to \$15.00



14k gold woven fobs, \$2.50 to \$6.00



Every article mentioned in our advertisement is truthfully described, is the very highest grade, and also sold at the lowest price. On account of the large volume of business, together with our Mail Order and Wholesale Business, we can positively sell for less than any other store in the city.

IRVINE'S 429 MAIN ST.

## Our Great-Grandfathers

burned candles—therefore we should do the same—that's what the candle makers would have us do.

Our Grandfathers used smelly, smoky oil lamps—therefore, we should do the same—that's what the Oil Trust would have us do.

We want the best light to be had—that's the Nernst Light.

Nernst Light is far ahead of all other lights, as the automobile is ahead of the wheelbarrow.

Do you believe in the "wheelbarrow" method of lighting?

If not call or phone us.

## Wisconsin Light & Power Co.

Both Phones 271—318 Main St.



# 21 PRIZES

3--\$500.00 PIANOS--3

From the Bergh Piano Co.

6-Trips to California-6

with all expenses paid from the time you leave home until you return.

6---SCHOLARSHIPS---6

in the WISCONSIN BUSINESS UNIVERSITY

Besides

6 Fine Ladies' Watches

Read the Conditions and Nominate your Favorite.

## Who May Enter This Great Contest.

Any young woman under 35 years of age is eligible, provided conditions set forth below are complied with.

Every candidate must be regularly nominated on the blank printed on this page or a similar blank furnished by this paper.

Candidates must reside in the district or territory from which nominated. No candidate will be permitted to transfer votes to another after receiving them for themselves.

The right is reserved to withdraw the offer in any district where only one candidate is nominated or voted for.

Ballots sent in for names not properly nominated will be destroyed uncounted.

A ballot will be printed every day during the life of contest. This ballot will count one vote. All ballots will be dated, and will be void unless received at The Tribune office on or before the expiration date as printed. All ballots must be sent direct to the Contest Manager of The Tribune, postage fully prepaid. No employee of The Tribune or member of an employee's family, will be eligible as a candidate. Any successful candidate shall have the right to name a substitute subject to our approval, if unable to take trip.

The decision of the contest manager as to the award of the prizes shall be final and conclusive.

In accepting nominations all candidates must accept and agree to abide by the above conditions.

## VALUE OF SPECIAL BALLOTS

BY CARRIER.	VOTES
Subscription to TRIBUNE one month	45c... 80 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE three months	\$1.25... 300 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE six months	\$2.50... 1000 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE one year	\$5.00... 2500 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE two years	\$10.00... 7500 Votes

BY MAIL.	VOTES
Subscription to TRIBUNE six months	\$1.25... 500 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE one year	\$2.50... 1200 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE two years	\$5.00... 3000 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE three years	\$7.50... 5000 Votes
Subscription to TRIBUNE five years	\$12.50... 10,000 Votes

In all cases where ballots are issued subscriptions must be paid in advance. The full amount of money must be sent direct by mail, paid to local agents, or brought to this office. The paper will be delivered by mail or through agent, as requested.

Besides the votes given on subscriptions there will be a coupon published in each issue of The Tribune which, when cut out and filled in, will count as one vote. These coupons must be mailed to The Tribune Contest Manager before the expiration of the time printed on each ballot.

BALLOTS CAN NOT BE BOUGHT; THEY MUST BE CUT FROM THE PAPER OR SECURED BY SUBSCRIPTION

For Further Information Call or Write the

**CONTEST MANAGER**

TRIBUNE.

La Crosse, - Wisconsin.

# INFORMATION

## As to How The Tribune will Distribute their Prizes HOW TO WIN, ETC.

### HOW TO WIN

Any young lady who desires to enter this great contest and win one of the magnificent prizes offered, should at once see that her name is sent to the contest manager. All that is necessary to win a prize is to receive the largest number of votes according to the conditions mentioned elsewhere in this announcement.

The nomination coupon will only appear for a few days. The easiest and quickest way to win is for candidates to ask their friends to prepay their subscription from six to twelve months. It costs the subscriber nothing extra to do this and they are saved the annoyance of weekly and monthly collections. By so doing you receive a special vote ballot which is good any time during the contest.

Orders for the prizes will be given the successful contestants at the close of the contest; same may be used by contestant herself or disposed of in any manner she may see fit.

Any young lady residing in the above mentioned territory is eligible to compete in this contest.

Any one who desires to vote in this contest may do so by ballots cut from The Daily Tribune, or by special vote coupons obtained by subscribing to The Tribune. The coupons secured by subscribing to The Tribune may be held as long as desired and voted at any time up to the close of the contest, but ballots cut from The Tribune are only good for one week from publication and will not be counted if voted after the date printed on the ballot.

Persons living in one district are not confined to voting for ladies in their own particular district, but may vote for anybody in the race.

This offer affords the girls of La Crosse and outside districts an excellent opportunity to travel and receive a business education at the expense of The Tribune.

The trips include transportation both ways, meals and berth while enroute, first class hotel accommodations at different resorts.

**SUMMARY OF PRIZES OFFERED**  
District No. 1—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

District No. 2—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

Note.—The lady receiving the greatest number of votes in either of the above two districts will receive the \$500 piano or the choice of prizes.

District No. 3—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

District No. 4—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

Note.—The lady receiving the greatest number of votes in either of the above two districts will receive the \$500 piano or the choice of prizes.

District No. 5—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

District No. 6—One free trip to California, one free scholarship in Toland's Business University, and one fine ladies' watch.

Note.—The lady receiving the greatest number of votes in either of the above two districts will receive the \$500 piano or the choice of prizes.

Should you be in doubt as to the condition on which the prizes are given or desire any information regarding the contest do not hesitate to write or call on the contest department of the La Crosse Tribune, where all information desired will be cheerfully offered.

### HOW THE TERRITORY WILL BE DIVIDED

District No. 1—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and north of Cass street to the La Crosse river.

District No. 2—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and south of Cass street, extending to the southern city limits.

District No. 3—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river, west of the city limits, north of La Crosse river and south of St. Paul street.

District No. 4—Includes all of the western city limits, west of the eastern city limits, north of St. Paul street and south of the northern city limits.

District No. 5—Includes all territory west of the Mississippi river in the state of Minnesota, within a radius of fifty miles of La Crosse and includes such towns as Dresbach, Dakota, La Crescent, Hokah, Brownsville, Houston, Caledonia, Mable, Eitzen, Spring Grove, Rushford and Preston.

District No. 6—Includes all territory in the state of Wisconsin within a radius of fifty miles of the city of La Crosse excepting only the territory heretofore described as sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, and including such towns as Fountain City, Galesville, Trempealeau, Onalaska, West Salem, Bangor, Sparta, Cashton, Westby, Viroqua, Stoddard, Chasaburg and Tomah.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTING

Enter the name of the lady whom you wish to secure one of these magnificent rewards in this contest at once. She may win a piano, a free trip, or one of the valuable scholarships. Better still, get the lady to enter her name and then vote for her. Those who get in on the start have the best chance of winning, so it is desirable that the names be entered at once in order to get a good start. Candidates who enter this contest do not necessarily have to be subscribers of The Tribune. Enter your name and your friends will do the rest. You will be surprised to see how rapidly the votes will come in, and what little effort is necessary to win one of the rewards offered. Get in on the start and encourage your friends to vote for you; the rest will be easy. You will never know how popular you are until you enter a contest of this kind.

The first announcement as to who the ladies are who are competing in this contest will be made Saturday, Oct. 15, and the number of votes each one has to her credit.

After the first announcement of candidates and the counting of the ballots the vote will be counted each afternoon at six o'clock, and the result printed in the following issue of the Tribune. There will be a short write up in the paper each day from now on until the close of the contest and those interested can keep in close touch with the contest and competing candidates. Certain it is that

twenty-one ladies of La Crosse and surrounding country are to receive magnificent rewards, and it is left to the readers of the Tribune to decide

## SOME QUEER JUBILEES

(Tribune Special Service.)

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—Some interesting jubilees are recorded in the German press this week. An instance of the remarkable fertility of the rural population in certain parts of the empire is furnished by a woman named Mimm, aged 69, an inmate of the workshop at Pitschen, who has just become a grandmother for the 50th time. The hero of the golden jubilee of another sort is one Adolph Krone, who has been sentenced at Hanover for the 50th time to three months' imprisonment for wilfully damaging property. Frauline Wokura has celebrated her diamond jubilee as a member of the chorus of the Dresden opera house. The popular lady who is 77, is still in robust health. Despite the time-honored jokes anent the age of chorus girls Frauline Wokura probably is the only one in the world who has passed her 70th year and is still in the profession.

## SAYS COLE HAS A GOOD CHANCE

Frank M. Eddy, former congressman from Sauk Center, Minn., delivered an address at Hokah, Minn., last night in the interests of the campaign of A. L. Cole, republican nominee for governor. Mr. Eddy speaks enthusiastically of the prospects of Mr. Cole and thinks he will be elected by a large majority.

## STAFFORD IN MILWAUKEE

J. W. Stafford, secretary of the La Crosse Young Men's Christian association, is attending the conference of the employed officers of the Wisconsin Y. M. C. A., in Milwaukee. Mr. Stafford will speak on "Adequate Educational Work." Next Sunday H. Leslie roadbridge will speak to the Sunday class at the local Y. M. C. A.

## VAN SANT WILL HAVE NEW BOAT

S. R. Van Sant, former governor of Minnesota, a leader in the movement for a six foot waterway on the Mississippi from the headwaters to the gulf, secured papers for a new boat, to be added to the Van Sant fleet, from Surveyor of the Port of La Crosse Robert Calvert last night. Mr. Van Sant believes that no money will be invested in waterway improvements until a six foot channel is assured.

## CAR THIEVES GET A YEAR EACH

Frank Kelley, Frank Lush and Edward Lane, three box car thieves, charged with robbing Milwaukee trains between La Crosse and Red Wing, Minn., were sentenced to one year each in the Minnesota penitentiary upon entering pleas of guilty in the district court at Red Wing. Two indictments had been returned against each prisoner. They admitted several large thefts.

## UNIQUE CONTINUES TO DRAW CROWDS

The Unique theater still continues to have packed houses and from the applause that each act receives it is evident that the audience is more than pleased.

Vice and Viola, comedy creators, in a sketch entitled "The Tramp, the Hats and Her," is one of the most laughable acts ever seen. If they would respond to every call they would be on to stage for an hour.

Jennie Dewese, who plays the violin and banjo in seven different positions and also dances to her own music is certainly a wonder and last evening she was called before the curtain until she refused to respond.


J. Murry Smith and Warnock, in a high class society act show very clever acting, and when Smith sings you cannot help but think of Scanlon and Olcott. He has a very sweet voice.

Glen Burt, that Yiddish loafer, makes a very funny Jew and causes laughter all the time he is on the stage.

Jerome White sings two beautiful illustrated songs in a very pleasing manner.

The moving pictures are very fine this week as they always are at the Unique.

The music furnished by Prof. Shilling is not equalled in this city. Considering the admission of 10 cents to any seat in the house it is certainly a treat to see this show.



**Underberg**  
The Best Bitter Liqueur.

Physical exercise does not create more genuine appetite than Underberg Boonkamp Bitters taken before meals. Healthy digestion follows and life becomes worth the living. A delicious drink always, morning, noon or night. Enjoyable as a cocktail and better for you. 6,000,000 bottles imported to the United States.

At all Hotels, Clubs and Restaurants, or by the bottle at Wine Merchants and Grocers.

BOTTLED ONLY BY  
H. Underberg Albrecht, Rheinfelden, Germany, since 1846.  
LUYTHS BROTHERS, New York. General Agents.

## Not Good After Oct. 31. LA CROSSE TRIBUNE PIANO AND TRIP CONTEST

THIS BALLOT WILL COUNT FOR ONE VOTE

For .....  
Dist. .... Address .....  
County ..... State .....

Good for one vote. When filled out and sent to The Tribune office by mail or otherwise on or before expiration date no ballot will be altered in any way, or transferred after received by The Tribune.

Unless ballot is trimmed carefully around the black lines it will not be counted.

THE ELLIOTT-LOEFFLER COMPANY.  
Wholesale **WINES & LIQUORS**  
222-224 PEARL STREET.

## Nominate Your Favorite Young Lady in THE TRIBUNE POPULARITY .....CONTEST

### NOMINATION BLANK

Write plainly. It is advisable to use this Blank, but nominations can be written on any other paper. Coupon is printed for convenience only.

I NOMINATE .....  
ADDRESS .....  
DISTRICT NO. ....  
As the most popular candidate in The Tribune Contest.  
Signed .....  
Date ..... 1906. Address .....

Each nomination sent in will count Five votes if sent to The Tribune Contest Manager before Nov. 1, 1906. The Tribune reserves the right to reject any objectionable nominations.

## \$105 Value for Nominations

The Tribune will give to each person making a nomination which proves to be that of a winner of any one of the prizes of this contest one year's subscription to the Daily Tribune.

By Mail or Carrier—Any person has the privilege of nominating one or more candidates. Nominations should be mailed to The Tribune Contest Manager before Oct. 20, as the names of the candidates will be published on that date. Candidates can be nominated after this date, but it is a great advantage for each candidate to have her name in the first list published, so that friends may not agree to work for someone else knowing who are entered in the contest.

It costs absolutely nothing to nominate a Candidate.

Cut Out the Nomination Blank It Is Good For 5 Votes.

**Tribune Want Ads. Bring Quick Results**



Only a paper which can give the largest publicity to your want is adequately "advertising" that want. Tribune want ads. bring results.

# TRIBUNE WANTS

One cent a word first insertion and one-half cent for all subsequent insertions. : : : : :

No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Dining room girls and chamber maids at Hotel Law.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

WANTED—Girl at Henry & Frank's.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 2215 Mormon Coulee road.

WANTED—Girls at the J. B. Funke Candy company.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be good cook. 518 State street.

WANTED—At once, two chocolate dippers, at Pfund's 508 Main street.

WANTED—Girls at Tisch Brothers' Cigar Box factory, 114-116 North Front.

WANTED—Lamb knitters at La Crosse Knitting works. Steady work, good wages. Apply at once.

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Man and wife for farm work. Apply at State Free Employment office, city hall.

WANTED—Boys from 16 years and up, at La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Scholarship includes complete outfit of tools, diplomas and positions. Board and room provided. Few weeks completes by this method. Special inducements now. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Electricians at once. A. O. Colby.

STEADY MEN can find employment from now until Dec. 15 handling freight. Wages 30 cents per hour. W. J. Connors, 85 Reed street, Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—Office boy. Fred Kroner Hardware company, wholesale department.

WANTED—200 men to work in the woods at Radisson, Wis., wages as follows, per month, including board: Swampers and chainers, \$30 to \$35; sawyers, \$35 to \$40; skidding teamsters, \$35; four-horse teamsters and loaders, \$40. These wages are paid to good men who stay until camp breaks in the spring. E. S. HAMMOND.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Splendid time to begin. Few weeks completes. Top wages paid graduates. Positions waiting. Best trade in the world for poor man. Little expense. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Twenty men on Cass street paving job. \$2 per day. La Crosse Stone company.

## FOR SALE

**75¢ CASH BUYS A LOT IN ANDERSON ADDITION**

and 75 cents a week. These lots have city water, street cars, paved street, cement walks, perfect title, low prices, no interest, no taxes for two years. Is there any safer way to invest savings and at the same time make a profit? Room 21, Batavian Bank building, phone 104-M.

# To the West and Northwest Every Day Until October 31

From August 27th.

**\$28.92** to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver and many other points in the Pacific Northwest.  
**\$34.90** to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and hundreds of points in California.  
**\$26.42** to Spokane and other points in the famous "Inland Empire" of Eastern Washington.  
**\$23.92** to Butte, Helena, Anaconda, Missoula and other Utah and Montana points.  
**\$18.92** to Billings, Mont., metropolis of a large and prosperous farming and stock-raising region.

Ask me for further information, please.

D. J. SHANESY, AGENT.  
C. B. & Q. Ry.

Burlington  
Route

# THE MARKETS

## LOCAL WHOLESALE MARKETS

**Butter and Eggs**  
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery Butter, 25 to 26c.  
Roll butter, 20c.  
No. 1 dairy butter, 22 to 24c.  
Eggs, 20 to 23c.

**Fruit**  
(Quoted by J. I. Lamb.)  
California plums—Crate, \$1.75.  
California lemons, \$8.  
Verdilla lemons, \$8.  
Bananas—Per bunch, \$1.50 to \$2.  
Michigan peaches, \$1.25.  
California grapes, \$1.40 to \$1.60.  
Colorado pears, \$1 to \$1.75.  
Apples—Cooking, per barrel, \$1.75.  
Apples—Wealthies, per barrel \$2.50.  
Sweet potatoes—Barrel, \$3 to \$3.60.  
Oysters—Per can, 35 to 45c.

**Cheese**  
(Quoted by Henry Andereg.)  
Cream twins, 13 1/2 to 14c.  
Brick cheese, 12 1/2 to 13c.  
Limburger, 12c.  
Daisies, 14c.  
Swiss round, 16c.  
German Hand cheese—Box, 90c.

**Flour**  
(Prices by A. Grams & Sons.)  
Patent—Per barrel, \$4.20.  
Straight—Barrel, \$4.  
**Mill Feed.**  
Shorts—Per ton, \$17.  
White middlings—Ton, \$18.  
Red Dog—Per ton, \$20.  
Bran—Per ton, \$16.

**Grain**  
(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)  
Wheat, 60 to 65c.  
Barley, 35 to 45c.  
Corn, 42 to 45c.  
Rye, 45 to 50c.  
Oats, 28 to 30c.

**Livestock**  
(Quoted by Langdon & Boyd.)  
Hogs, \$5.25 to \$6.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2 to \$3.  
Sheep, \$3 to \$4.  
Lambs, \$4 to 5.

**Provisions**  
Lard, 10 to 10 1/2c.  
Hams, 13 1/4 to 14 1/2c.  
Bacon, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2c.  
Shoulders, 10c.  
Picnic hams, 9 to 9 1/2c.  
Dry beef, 14 to 16c.

**Prices on City Market**  
Hay, \$8.50.  
Potatoes, 35c.

**LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS**  
(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)  
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 25c.  
Butter—Dairy, 25c; creamery, 27c.

**Fruits**  
Eating apples—Peck, 25c.  
Cooking apples—Peck, 20c.  
Plums—Dozen, 10 to 15c.  
Oranges—Dozen, 35 to 50c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 35c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 15 to 20c.  
Peaches—Peck, 65c.

**Vegetables**  
Green corn—Dozen, 10c.  
Osage melons, 5, 8 and 10c.  
Watermelons, 15 and 20c.  
Head lettuce—Bunch, 10c.  
Celery—Stalk, 5c.  
Cauliflower—Each 15 and 20c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
New Cabbage—Each, 5c.  
Potatoes—Peck, 15c.  
Carrots—Peck, 15c.  
Beets—Peck, 15c.  
Cucumbers—Four for 5c.  
Tomatoes—Peck, 15c.  
Rutabagoes—Peck, 15c.  
Sweet Potatoes—Pound, 5c.  
Lettuce—Home grown two bunches for 5c.  
Egg plant—Each, 8 to 10c.  
Radishes—Home grown, three bunches for 5c.  
Hubbard squash, 5 to 10c.  
Plums—Per peck, 30c.  
Pears—Bartlett, 50c peck.  
Pickling onions—Peck, 25c.  
Crabs—Per peck, 25c.  
Home grown grapes—Basket, 25c.  
Pumpkins—Each, 5c.

**Fish**  
(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)  
Pickled, 8c; pike, 12 1/2c; white, 15c; trout, 12 1/2c; salmon, 15c; herring, 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

**Poultry**  
Old chickens, 10c; young chickens, 15c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 15c; geese, 12 1/2c.

**FIGHTS FOR TONIGHT**  
(Tribune Special Service.)  
Walter Little of Chicago vs. George Williams of Chicago, 10 rounds before the Indianapolis Athletic club.

It is said that the Puritans stopped bear-baiting—not because it caused pain to the bear, but because it afforded pleasure to the spectators. If your landlord, your partner or your employer seeks to "rule" you on the same theory, "kick over the traces" and read the want ads.

# INTEREST INCREASING IN THE VOTING CONTEST

## People all Over the Country Talking About the Contest

This is the second week of The Tribune's great popular voting contest and from present indications it bids fair to become one of the greatest affairs of its kind ever put forward in the middle west. All over the country people are talking of the generosity of The Tribune in making this offer to the young ladies in La Crosse and surrounding territory.

The scholarship feature of The Tribune's voting contest appeals particularly to the young women in each community of the six districts included in the contest who desire to qualify themselves to fill remunerative positions as stenographers, bookkeepers and secretaries in commercial concerns. Dozens of young women in the territory embraced have entered the contest for the express purpose of winning one of these valuable scholarships. In every town are well-to-do men and women who consider it their duty as well as find it a pleasure to assist young people in such a laudable ambition as that of securing a business education and fitting themselves to make their way in the world. As soon as the young woman aspirant makes her candidacy known to people of this class as well as to her personal friends, they will at once begin to save the coupons which are appearing every day in The Tribune, and send in their subscriptions for six months or a year, and get the votes. A subscrip-

tion for one year gives 2,500 votes. It requires but a very few of these at the outset of the contest to place any candidate in a most advantageous position.

Make up your mind right now that you are going to be one of the lucky ones and strive to attain that end. You can do it if you try. Do not wait until the last moment, but start right now. If your name is already entered in the list and you have not done much as yet begin now. You will never regret the time and effort spent in this contest.

At present the candidates are just beginning to get their start and feeling the pulse of their friends to learn their strength.

A number of subscriptions have already come in, and today will see more issued than any other day since the opening of the great Tribune contest. Votes clipped from The Tribune are received daily in large numbers and many votes which are issued on subscription are sent out to be held in reserve and drawn on later, when an absolute necessity arrives.

Any young woman who desires to enter her name may write to the Contest Manager and she will be at once placed on the free subscription list to receive the paper at her house every day, and will be furnished with printed matter explaining the contest fully and with receipt blanks for securing subscribers.

## LIST OF CONTESTANTS WITH BALLOTS CAST FOR EACH

DISTRICT NO. 1.		
District No. 1—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and north of Cass street to the La Crosse river.		
Miss Nettie Williams.....	909 La Crosse.....	1,902
Miss May Gavin.....	313 King.....	1,143
Miss Minnie Voltz.....	207 Main.....	537
Miss Elsie Root.....	123 South Eleventh.....	518
Miss Grace Wells.....	204 South Nineteenth.....	478
Miss Sophia Dittman.....	1008 Vine.....	450
Miss Ida B. Colby.....	616 North Eighth.....	399
Miss Ida Liesenfeld.....	218 Vine.....	375
DISTRICT NO. 2.		
District No. 2—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river and south of Cass street, extending to the southern city limits.		
Miss Julia Novak.....	1611 South Tenth.....	932
Miss Callie Robinson.....	1237 Jackson.....	675
Miss Mary Stipek.....	1111 South Third.....	647
Miss Rose Juhl.....	520 South Ninth.....	610
Miss Emma Moeser.....	812 South Sixth.....	587
Miss Fannie Lennon.....	614 South Fourth.....	530
Miss Clara Lukowsky.....	1106 South Eleventh.....	473
DISTRICT NO. 3.		
District No. 3—Includes all territory east of the Mississippi river, west of the city limits, north of La Crosse river and south of St. Paul street.		
Miss Amelia Brinkman.....	820 St. Andrew.....	1,046
Miss Elizabeth Pfeiffer.....	824 Rose.....	868
Miss Christine Schmidt.....	532 Avon.....	812
Miss Mary Downs.....	226 Mill.....	616
Miss Hazel Sloan.....	432 Rose.....	551
Miss Louise Higbee.....	723 Caledonia.....	447
Miss Klea Bullock.....	709 Avon.....	1,010
Miss Jennie Jones.....	443 Sumner.....	431
Miss Marguerite Murphy.....	503 Caledonia.....	317
Miss Ella Hentschell.....	402 Rose.....	426
Miss Grace Garner.....	625 St. Cloud.....	356
Miss Alice Marteau.....	839 Gould.....	359
Miss Hallie Lavague.....	815 Rose.....	551
Miss Mayme Rathburn.....	1002 Avon.....	401
Miss Daisy Van Bergh.....	1112 Avon.....	376
Miss Ruth Granke.....	833 Rose.....	271
DISTRICT NO. 4.		
District No. 4—Includes all of the western city limits, west of the eastern city limits, north of St. Paul street and south of the northern city limits.		
Miss Etta Nesler.....	1534 Berlin.....	933
Miss Minnie Whittenberg.....	1212 Avon.....	897
Miss Helen Findeisen.....	1532 George.....	598
Miss Elizabeth Mangner.....	1517 Prospect.....	540
Miss Elsie Orwell.....	1314 Caledonia.....	475
Miss Fritz.....	1321 Charles.....	511
Miss Magna Larson.....	1229 Avon.....	405
DISTRICT NO. 5.		
District No. 5—Includes all territory west of the Mississippi river in the state of Minnesota, within a radius of fifty miles of La Crosse and includes such towns as Dresbach, Dakota, La Crescent, Hokah, Brownsville, Houston Caledonia, Mable, Eitjen, Spring Grove, Rushford and Preston.		
Miss Leoana Lee.....	Dakota, Minn.....	481
Miss Stella Rader.....	Dresbach, Minn.....	405
Miss Louisa Worthingham.....	La Crescent, Minn.....	379
Miss Delia Post.....	La Crescent, Minn.....	349
Miss Anna Sauer.....	Hokah, Minn.....	296
DISTRICT NO. 6.		
District No. 6—Includes all territory in the state of Wisconsin within a radius of fifty miles of the city of La Crosse excepting only the territory heretofore described as sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, and including such towns as Fountain City, Galesville, Trempealeau, Onalaska, West Salem, Stoddard, Westby, Viroqua, Sparta and Tomah.		
Miss Lucy Holmes.....	Trempealeau.....	481
Miss Bernice Shackley.....	Tomah.....	511
Miss Minnie Quinn.....	Galesville.....	466
Miss Cora M. Bradley.....	West Salem.....	440
Miss Carrie Hollenbeck.....	Sparta.....	391
Miss Goldie Schultz.....	Tomah.....	375
Miss Frances Smith.....	Sparta.....	347
Miss Susie Weels.....	Tomah.....	349
Miss Mary Clark.....	Onalaska.....	286

## METHODIST BISHOPS

(Tribune Special Service.)  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 24.—From all parts of America and from Europe, Asia and Africa the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church assembled in this city today for a week's conference. The object of the meeting is to arrange for the conference of the church and to assign the bishops to the conferences over which they will preside.

## WAR ON RAILWAY LEECHES

(Tribune Special Service.)  
CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 24.—The meeting of the American Railways association which began in Chicago today is of a more than usual importance and it is expected that the deliberations and conclusions of the meeting will give a severe jolt to some of the railroads of the country that are persistently "mean" in their dealings with other roads. The association propose to adopt measures which will put railway "leeches" out of business, and will impose such heavy penalties on "car thieves" as to make it profitable for them to quit their evil ways. A "railway leech" is a road which persistently refuses to purchase as much equipment as it needs and depends for its traffic upon securing enough cars from other lines at a per diem rate, which is unprofitable to the owners. A "car thief" is a railroad which gets possession of cars belonging to other roads, runs them away, and uses them for its own purposes, regardless of the wishes of the owners.

## STOPS FOR "CHEW," CAR WRECKED

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 24.—A chew of tobacco was the cause of a rear end collision between two cars in Allegheny. A city bound car was approaching a bridge while another car was going toward Allegheny. The motorman of the former stopped the latter car and begged a chew of tobacco. As the plug was passed over another car crashed into the rear of the first. Passengers on both cars were badly shaken up. The excuse offered by the motorman was that he was unable to run his car unless provided with a chew.

## A Badly Burned Girl

or boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's Arnica Salve is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., says: "I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin injuries, and find it perfect." Quickest Pile cure known. Best healing salve made, 25c at O. T. Erhart's drug store.

## PRESERVATIVES ARE USED

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 24.—William Pate, Jr., city chemist, has found that each of ten samples of meat submitted to him was preserved with sodium sulphite, which Mr. Pate considers the most injurious preservative in use. All the samples were shipped here from Chicago. An order was immediately issued prohibiting the further sale of the meat. Under the law at present there is no penalty for shipping impure or preserved meats into the city.

## Notice to Electric Light Companies

The undersigned Board of Public Works of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office in the city hall, La Crosse, Wis., until the 27th day of October, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., for furnishing all electric current for incandescent light and power wherever needed in all the public buildings, Mississippi river wagon bridge, public bath, and all other places where now used, and in all similar places where the same may be needed by the city of La Crosse, for a period of one year from December 1, 1906 to December 1, 1907.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said Board and shall be accompanied by a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars, and be executed and delivered in the manner provided by the charter of said city. If the contractor fails to fulfill its contract, it shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of Ten (\$10) Dollars per day for each and every day that it shall fail to fulfill its contract, the said sum to be considered as liquidated damages.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1906.

H. J. BECKWITH,  
GEORGE FALK,  
ARTHUR J. ROBERGE,  
Board of Public Works.  
Audited Oct. 18, 1906.  
C. H. CONNOR,  
Comptroller.

The Tribune stands for honesty in all things.

## Railroad Time Tables

### CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	2:35 a.m. 11:55 p.m. 12:40 a.m. 7:30 p.m.	3:10 a.m. 7:05 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 4:55 p.m.
Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis	3:20 a.m. 7:15 a.m. 10:55 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	2:30 a.m. 12:35 a.m. 5:55 p.m. 11:25 p.m.
Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	12:01 p.m. 3:50 p.m.	11:20 a.m. 4:55 p.m.
Southern Minnesota Division	10:30 a.m. 7:20 p.m.	11:20 p.m. 3:45 p.m.

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

### CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon

### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	8:00 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 10:40 p.m.	5:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	5:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 10:40 p.m.

References: a, daily except Sunday; b, daily

### GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Arcadia, Blair Independence, Whitehall, Merrillan, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London Green Bay & Kewaunee.....	8:00 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 10:40 p.m.	5:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m. 5:30 p.m.

A Daily except Sunday

### LA CROSSE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY.

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Stoddard, Chaseburg, Coon Valley, Westby, Viroqua	7:40 a.m. b3:00 p.m. c4:00 p.m.	10:15 a.m. b5:00 p.m. c5:00 p.m.

a daily; b daily except Sunday; c Sunday only. All trains arrive and depart from C. B. & Q. depot

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## SCHURZ MEMORIAL PROFESSORSHIP

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 24.—A plan is to raise an endowment of \$50,000, the income of which will be used for the establishment of an annual course of lectures at that state university, to be given by prominent professors of German universities. This

memorial professorship to be held by German university professors will be the first of the kind in any American state university. It is hoped that the establishment of this new chair will lead to the exchange of professors between the University of Wisconsin and German universities. A similar plan of exchange of professors has just been entered upon between Columbia university and the University of Berlin, through the establishment at the University of Berlin of the Theodore Roosevelt professorship in American history.

The proposed endowment will make it possible for the students of the state university to enjoy each year the advantages of lectures and instruction by the prominent German specialists in history, literature, science, and all other important fields of knowledge. These lectures, many of which will be in German, will be of interest not only to students but to all German-Americans of the state. If this new professorship leads to the exchange of professors, members of the faculty of the state university will lecture at German universities.

This form of memorial is generally considered the most appropriate to the memory of Carl Schurz, and it is also fitting that the professorship should be established at the University of Wisconsin, since he was identified with the institution in its early history as a member of the board of regents. In recognition of his work as a great German-American statesman and scholar, the state university conferred upon him in 1905 the honor-

ary degree of doctor of laws. His last appearance in Wisconsin was at the commencement exercises of that year, when he delivered the principal address, one of his most memorable addresses.

Formal organization to carry the project into effect will be begun at once by the appointment of a large executive committee with branches in all the most important cities of the state. This committee will take charge of raising the fund of \$50,000 among the friends and admirers of the great German-American statesman and scholar. It is expected that alumni and friends of the university will also contribute toward this memorial. The plan has the hearty approval of President Charles R. Van Hise and the university professors, several of whom were present at the meeting.

"Civilization is the eternal sacrifice of one generation to the next"; and, in a smaller way, this is true—as in store-keeping, where a portion of today's profits pay the tax (the publicity cost) on tomorrow's bigger profits—and these, in turn, feed and nurture and lift the enterprise to greater strength and security.

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## A FINE EXHIBIT OF DRAWING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The drawing exhibit of the Western Drawing Teachers' Association has been secured for the Western Wisconsin Teachers' Association which meets here on Friday and Saturday of this week. There are over one hundred large sheets with samples of the best drawings of the pupils in the schools of such cities as St. Louis, Indianapolis, Grand Rapids, Minneapolis and others, and their exhibition here gives the pupils and parents in La Crosse an unusual opportunity to see without expense some of the best work in this line that is done in other cities. To enable those living on the north side to see it with the least loss of time, Superintendent Bird has had it placed in the Logan street where it will remain until Wednesday evening. It will be then transferred to the high school building at Eighth and Main streets where it will be open to the public from 3:30 Thursday afternoon until five, on Friday forenoon, and on Saturday from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 1:30 to 4 p. m.

## LA CROSSE GIRL WEDS IN CHICAGO

The marriage of Miss Theresa Knott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Knott, of 608 south Ninth street to Dr. W. S. Kenward, took place Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Farwell, 3238 Groveland avenue, Chicago, in the presence of immediate members of the families of both parties. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ella Knott as bridesmaid. Dr. Charles Kenward acted as best man. Master Wilfred Farwell as ring bearer. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. John Knott. The bride was becomingly attired in white and silk patiste, trimmed with real lace and carried brides roses. The bridesmaid wore white French lawn, trimmed in Irish point, and carried bridesmaid roses. After the ceremony the guests sat down to an elaborate supper. The floral decorations were carried out in smilax and roses. They received many costly gifts. The bride is well known in La Crosse, where she has many warm friends who wish them happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenward are spending their honeymoon in the east.

## MILLER-LINKER WEDDING YESTERDAY

Miss Emma Miller and Philip Linker were married yesterday at the home of the parents of the bride, 1414 State street. The Rev. Henry Faville, pastor of the First Congregational church, performed the ceremony.

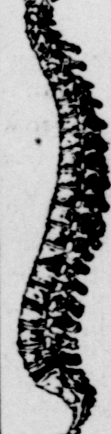
Mr. Linker is an electrician employed by the La Crosse Gas & Electric company. His bride is an accomplished young woman.

Mr. and Mrs. Linker will reside in La Crosse at the home of the mother of the bride.

## WANTED MORE MEN

Examinations are to be given by the United States civil service commission in La Crosse to fill vacancies as follows: Laboratory assistant, qualified in practical optics, \$1,000 a year, Nov. 14; teachers in the Philippine service, \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year, Nov. 30 and Dec. 1; plumber and steamfitter in quartermaster's department, \$900 a year, Nov. 21; mechanical draftsman at Wheeling, W. Va., and Chattanooga, \$1,500 a year, Nov. 21.

## ADJUSTMENT THE KEY-NOTE



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Louis Greb, Kensal, N. D., and Miss Katherine Roach, Eastman, Wis., were married by Judge Brindley Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Greb continued on their trip to their new home at Kensal.

C. A. Hunt transacted business in Winona yesterday.

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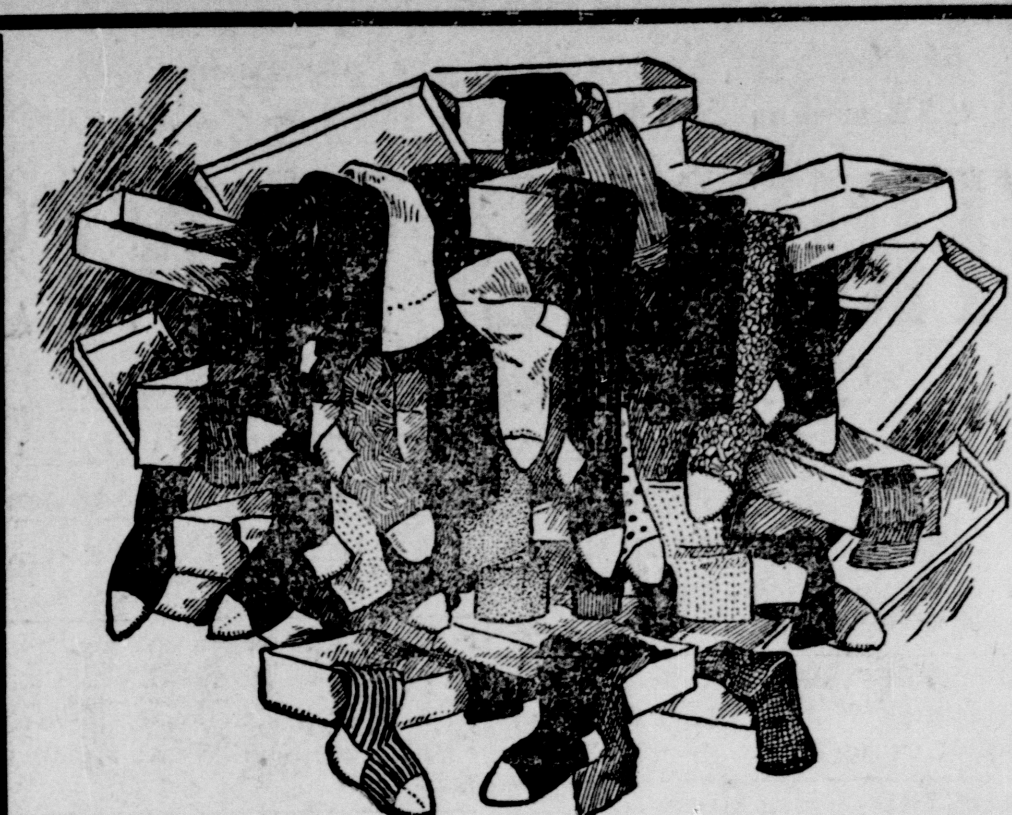
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**Men's Socks**—Men's cotton and all wool socks, at pair.....10c to 50c

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